

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 1. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 10th January 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1053 living children, the deaths of 880 persons, and 584 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 830. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 12·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 3·0 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 15·8 less than in the previous week, and 16·0 below the average. The death-rate is 1·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 25·4 in Kilmarnock and 22·1 in Dunfermline, to 9·3 in Coatbridge and 10·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (20·8), in Aberdeen (19·0), in Glasgow (18·4) and in Edinburgh (18·1). In Dundee the rate was 16·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 34, and are 13 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 19 from whooping-cough (of which 17 occurred in Glasgow), 8 from diphtheria, and 3 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 13 more, from measles 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from enteric fever number the same, while from the diarrhoeas of childhood they are 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 12, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 208, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 121, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 314. The former are 18 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 34 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 34°·6, being 1°·6 below that for the previous week, and 5°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·18 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 10, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | TOWNS. |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------|--|----------|--------------|----------|-------|------|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | (26) | (27) | (28) | |
| GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 496 | 298 | 410 | 34 | 8 | 384 | 18.4 | 1.0 | 58 | 126 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 2 | 0 | * | 1 | 8 | 101 | 14 | 48.9 | 24.0 | 34.9 | 0.21 | 4.2 | (28) |
| EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 158 | 92 | 168 | 23 | 4 | 149 | 18.1 | 0.5 | 20 | 77 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | * | 1 | 33 | 7 | 47.0 | 26.0 | 35.9 | 0.04 | 12.0 | GLASGOW. | |
| DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 80 | 51 | 53 | 4 | 4 | 53 | 16.6 | 0.6 | 6 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 43.7 | 20.0 | 32.7 | 0.06 | .. | EDINBURGH. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 61 | 33 | 63 | 6 | 1 | 58 | 19.0 | 0.3 | 10 | 22 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 47.0 | 25.0 | 35.8 | 0.15 | 13.3 | DUNDEE. |
| PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 43 | 9 | 31 | 2 | 0 | 29 | 17.2 | 0.0 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 47.1 | 23.5 | 34.3 | 0.22 | 5.8 | ABERDEEN |
| GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 40 | 14 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 25 | 15.8 | 0.6 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 48.2 | 29.8 | 36.9 | 0.48 | .. | PAISLEY. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 25 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 3 | 15 | 10.9 | 0.7 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | GREENOCK. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 20 | 12 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 13 | 13.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 21 | 13 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 9.3 | 1.2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | CLYDEBANK. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 12 | 4 | 17 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 22.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | COATBRIDGE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 12 | 8 | 11 | 1 | 4 | 14 | 16.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | DUNFERMLINE. |
| HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 18 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 15.4 | 1.3 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | KIRKCALDY. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 21 | 4 | 18 | 1 | 2 | 19 | 25.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | HAMILTON. |
| AYR, | 37,600 | 13 | 8 | 17 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 20.8 | 1.4 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | KILMARNOCK. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 19 | 26 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 12.8 | 1.4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | AYR. |
| PERTH, | 32,200 | 14 | 3 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 11 | 17.8 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 48.0 | 16.0 | 32.0 | 0.08 | 7.9 | FALKIRK. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,447,500 | 1053 | 584 | 880 | 84 | 34 | 830 | 17.7 | 0.7 | 121 | 314 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 19 | 8 | 3 | *4 | 12 | 208 | 32 | 48.9 | 16.0 | 34.6 | 0.18 | .. | .. | PERTH. |
| Jan. 10, 1931, | 2,425,800 | 904 | 1310 | 783 | 77 | 41 | 747 | 16.1 | 0.5 | 139 | 280 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 6 | *1 | 7 | 166 | 37 | 48.0 | 19.0 | 36.2 | 0.60 | .. | .. | Total, 16 Towns, week ending, |
| Jan. 3, 1931, | 2,425,800 | 1023 | 431 | 735 | 84 | 38 | 689 | 14.8 | 0.9 | 103 | 250 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 7 | *2 | 5 | 151 | 36 | 54.0 | 30.0 | 40.5 | 1.65 | .. | .. | 16 Towns. |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 2. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 17th January 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 906 living children, the deaths of 871 persons, and 215 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 818. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 3·1 less than in the previous week, and 2·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 7·8 less than in the previous week, and 1·7 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rate varied from 26·2 in Aberdeen and 22·7 in Perth, to 5·1 in Hamilton and 8·0 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (19·0), in Glasgow (18·9) and in Edinburgh (17·6). In Dundee the rate was 16·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 34, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 23 from whooping-cough (of which 22 occurred in Glasgow), 4 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 1 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 9, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 223, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 112, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 317. The former are 9 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 3 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·1, being 5°·5 above that for the previous week, and 1°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·61 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 17, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | TOWNS. | |
|--|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------|--|----------|--------------|----------|-------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--|
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | |
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | | | | |
| GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 423 | 100 | 424 | 35 | 5 | 394 | 18.9 | 1.3 | 53 | 131 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | *5 | 7 | 110 | 19 | 50.3 | 23.0 | 40.3 | 0.67 | 15.1 | GLASGOW. | |
| EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 130 | 38 | 167 | 26 | 4 | 145 | 17.6 | 0.1 | 21 | 57 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 28.0 | 39.5 | 0.23 | 15.5 | EDINBURGH. | | |
| DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 64 | 16 | 54 | 3 | 1 | 52 | 16.2 | 0.6 | 6 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 28.0 | 38.2 | 0.28 | ... | DUNDEE. | | |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 53 | 25 | 78 | 1 | 3 | 80 | 26.2 | 0.7 | 16 | 40 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 22 | 2 | 52.0 | 28.0 | 39.6 | 0.69 | 14.1 | ABERDEEN | |
| PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 36 | 2 | 21 | 1 | 2 | 22 | 13.1 | 0.0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 49.9 | 28.4 | 40.9 | 0.77 | 13.7 | PAISLEY. | |
| GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 38 | 4 | 22 | 1 | 2 | 23 | 14.5 | 0.6 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 51.0 | 29.0 | 42.0 | 1.35 | ... | GREENOCK. | |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 27 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. | |
| CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 22 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 8.4 | 0.0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. | |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 17 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 12 | 13.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. | |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 13 | 1 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. | |
| KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 13 | 2 | 15 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 19.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. | |
| HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 18 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. | |
| KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 14 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. | |
| AYR, | 37,600 | 9 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. | |
| FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 16 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 12.8 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. | |
| PERTH, | 32,200 | 13 | 6 | 18 | 4 | 0 | 14 | 22.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 52.0 | 27.0 | 40.1 | 0.31 | 16.8 | PERTH. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Jan. 17, 1931, Jan. 10, 1931, Jan. 18, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 906 | 215 | 871 | 80 | 27 | 818 | 17.4 | 0.7 | 112 | 317 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 23 | 4 | 4 | *6 | 9 | 223 | 35 | 52.0 | 23.0 | 40.1 | 0.61 | ... | Total, 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,447,500 | 1053 | 584 | 880 | 84 | 34 | 830 | 17.7 | 0.7 | 121 | 314 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 19 | 8 | 3 | *4 | 12 | 208 | 32 | 48.9 | 16.0 | 34.6 | 0.18 | ... | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 927 | 217 | 767 | 82 | 34 | 719 | 15.5 | 0.8 | 123 | 263 | 0 | 19 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 5 | *1 | 2 | 154 | 26 | 53.0 | 25.0 | 39.0 | 0.63 | ... | | |

Note.—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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No. 3. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 24th January 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 936 living children, the deaths of 731 persons, and 192 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 688. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 2·7 less than in the previous week, and 4·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·1 in Perth and 19·0 in Aberdeen, to 5·2 in Clydebank and 8·0 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (18·6), in Dundee (16·6), in Greenock (15·8), in Glasgow (15·5) and in Dunfermline (15·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 35, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 20 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 2 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 1 more, but those from measles number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 156, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·5 less than in the previous week, and is 1·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 95, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 268. The former are 17 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 49 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·1, being the same as that for the previous week, but 1°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·31 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | TOWNS. | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------|-----------|------|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------|------|------|---------------------|--------------------------|--------|------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | | | | | |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 442 | 95 | 349 | 35 | 9 | 323 | 15.5 | 1.2 | 51 | 109 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 4 | 2 | *6 | 7 | 78 | 17 | 48.2 | 34.9 | 42.2 | 1.13 | 7.4 | GLASGOW. | | | | | |
| EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 128 | 34 | 121 | 15 | 1 | 107 | 13.0 | 0.2 | 9 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 5 | 47.0 | 32.0 | 39.9 | 0.66 | 15.8 | EDINBURGH. | | | | | |
| DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 79 | 11 | 52 | 2 | 3 | 53 | 16.6 | 0.0 | 8 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 45.2 | 30.7 | 37.7 | 1.08 | ... | DUNDEE. | | | | | |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 50 | 16 | 57 | 2 | 3 | 58 | 19.0 | 0.0 | 8 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 2 | 47.0 | 31.0 | 38.2 | 1.11 | 12.4 | ABERDEEN | | | | | |
| PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 40 | 4 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 13.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 48.5 | 35.0 | 41.0 | 1.66 | 10.4 | PAISLEY. | | | | | |
| GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 34 | 5 | 28 | 3 | 0 | 25 | 15.8 | 0.6 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 48.8 | 34.0 | 42.1 | 2.52 | ... | GREENOCK. | | | | | |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 25 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 10.9 | 0.0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. | | | | | |
| CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 27 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 5.2 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. | | | | | |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 16 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 4 | 16 | 18.6 | 3.5 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. | | | | | |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 14 | 4 | 17 | 6 | 0 | 11 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. | | | | | |
| KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 11 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 11.9 | 2.4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. | | | | | |
| HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 16 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 11.5 | 2.6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. | | | | | |
| KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 22 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. | | | | | |
| AYR, | 37,600 | 10 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. | | | | | |
| FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 13 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 8.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. | | | | | |
| PERTH, | 32,200 | 9 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 21.1 | 1.6 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 48.0 | 30.0 | 39.4 | 0.98 | 13.6 | PERTH. | | | | | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Jan. 24, 1931, Jan. 17, 1931, Jan. 25, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 936 | 192 | 731 | 70 | 27 | 688 | 14.7 | 0.7 | 95 | 268 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 20 | 6 | 5 | *7 | 10 | 156 | 28 | 48.8 | 30.0 | 40.1 | 1.31 | ... | Total, 16 Towns. | | | | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.
* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 4. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 31, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 31st January 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 967 living children, the deaths of 834 persons, and 227 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 788. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 0·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 2·1 more than in the previous week, but 3·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·1 in Perth and 19·7 in Aberdeen, to 8·4 in Clydebank and 11·6 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (19·3), in Dunfermline (19·3), and in Dundee (17·8). In Glasgow the rate was 16·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 35, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 18 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 2 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, but those from measles number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10, and are the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 173, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 1·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 111, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 313. The former are 16 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 45 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 35°·2, being 4·9 below that for the previous week, but 1°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·31 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 31, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | TOWNS. | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|---------|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|------|-----------|------|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------|------|------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--|
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | |
| GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 487 | 101 | 361 | 36 | 14 | 339 | 16.2 | 1.1 | 56 | 114 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 78 | 15 | 41.5 | 29.6 | 35.4 | 0.99 | 7.0 | GLASGOW. | |
| EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 118 | 51 | 171 | 18 | 6 | 159 | 19.3 | 0.6 | 12 | 68 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 40 | 2 | 42.0 | 29.0 | 35.3 | 0.89 | 23.3 | EDINBURGH. | |
| DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 60 | 9 | 59 | 4 | 2 | 57 | 17.8 | 0.3 | 7 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 39.9 | 26.0 | 33.7 | 1.50 | ... | DUNDEE. | |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 59 | 17 | 72 | 14 | 2 | 60 | 19.7 | 0.3 | 12 | 32 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 1 | 16 | 2 | 43.0 | 29.0 | 36.8 | 1.10 | 19.1 | ABERDEEN | |
| PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 35 | 5 | 24 | 2 | 1 | 23 | 13.7 | 0.0 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 42.1 | 29.0 | 35.7 | 1.42 | 10.4 | PAISLEY. | |
| GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 40 | 4 | 25 | 1 | 2 | 26 | 16.4 | 0.6 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 42.2 | 31.2 | 36.5 | 2.11 | ... | GREENOCK. | |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 45 | 6 | 13 | 0 | 3 | 16 | 11.6 | 0.0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. | |
| CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 20 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 8.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. | |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 19 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 16.3 | 1.2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. | |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 19.3 | 1.4 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. | |
| KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 12 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 16.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. | |
| HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 16 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 4 | 13 | 16.7 | 2.6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. | |
| KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 12 | 9 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 13.4 | 0.0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. | |
| AYR, | 37,600 | 21 | 4 | 16 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 16.6 | 1.4 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. | |
| FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 7 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 14.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK | |
| PERTH, | 32,200 | 7 | 1 | 17 | 4 | 0 | 13 | 21.1 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 43.0 | 21.0 | 33.0 | 1.13 | 17.2 | PERTH. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,447,500 | 967 | 227 | 834 | 88 | 42 | 788 | 16.8 | 0.7 | 111 | 313 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 8 | 7 | 4 | 10 | 173 | 29 | 43.0 | 21.0 | 35.2 | 1.31 | ... | Total, 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,447,500 | 936 | 192 | 731 | 70 | 27 | 688 | 14.7 | 0.7 | 95 | 268 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 20 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 10 | 156 | 28 | 48.8 | 30.0 | 40.1 | 1.31 | ... | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 990 | 208 | 753 | 79 | 43 | 717 | 15.4 | 0.9 | 126 | 233 | 0 | 15 | 5 | 9 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 140 | 33 | 42.3 | 21.0 | 34.1 | 0.60 | ... | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis. † 3 Cerebro-spinal meningitis; 1 Typhus Fever. ‡ 5 Cerebro Spinal Meningitis; 1 Typhus Fever.

WEEKLY RETURN
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No. 5. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 7th February 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 969 living children, the deaths of 823 persons, and 322 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 787. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·8.

The birth-rate of the week is the same as in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·1 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 above the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 3·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·4 in Perth and 19·2 in Glasgow, to 6·7 in Kilmarnock and 8·5 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (19·0), in Coatbridge (17·4), and in Dundee (17·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 16·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 40, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 28 from whooping-cough, of which 25 occurred in Glasgow, 3 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 10 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from measles numbered the same, while from the diarrhoeas of childhood they are 1 fewer, and from diphtheria 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 14, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 160, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 1·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 121, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 289. The former are 10 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 24 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 36°·7, being 1°·5 above that for the previous week, but 0°·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·66 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 7, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | TOWNS. | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------------|------|----------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------|--|--------------------------|----------|----------|-------|------|------|------------------------|
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | (9) | (10) | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | From All Causes. | (11) | (12) | Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 479 | 145 | 423 | 33 | 10 | 400 | 19.2 | 1.6 | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | 69 | 133 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 25 | 2 | 5 | *4 | 9 | 98 | 10 | 44.5 | 30.5 | 38.3 | 0.49 | 8.8 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 134 | 59 | 147 | 17 | 4 | 134 | 16.3 | 0.0 | | | 16 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 25 | 8 | 44.0 | 33.0 | 37.1 | 0.36 | 11.2 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 66 | 24 | 50 | 2 | 7 | 55 | 17.2 | 0.6 | | | 11 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 40.1 | 26.0 | 33.2 | 0.55 | ... | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 48 | 27 | 64 | 7 | 1 | 58 | 19.0 | 0.7 | | | 8 | 29 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 41.0 | 32.0 | 36.9 | 0.94 | 0.4 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 23 | 15 | 28 | 5 | 1 | 24 | 14.3 | 0.0 | | | 2 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 45.8 | 31.4 | 38.4 | 0.41 | 11.5 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 39 | 11 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 8.2 | 0.0 | | | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 46.0 | 33.4 | 38.5 | 0.62 | ... | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 35 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 5 | 18 | 13.1 | 0.0 | | | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 20 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 10.5 | 0.0 | | | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 26 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 15 | 17.4 | 1.2 | | | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 14 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 13.8 | 0.0 | | | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 16 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 15.4 | 0.0 | | | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 15 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 9.0 | 0.0 | | | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 16 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 6.7 | 0.0 | | | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,600 | 13 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 9.7 | 0.0 | | | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 8.5 | 1.4 | | | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 32,200 | 11 | 3 | 15 | 5 | 2 | 12 | 19.4 | 0.0 | | | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 45.0 | 25.0 | 34.6 | 1.27 | 9.8 | PERTH. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,447,500 | 969 | 322 | 823 | 78 | 42 | 787 | 16.8 | 0.9 | | | 121 | 289 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 28 | 3 | 6 | *5 | 14 | 160 | 25 | 46.0 | 25.0 | 36.7 | 0.66 | ... | Total, 16 Towns. |
| | 2,447,500 | 967 | 227 | 834 | 88 | 42 | 788 | 16.8 | 0.7 | | | 111 | 313 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 8 | 7 | +6 | 10 | 173 | 29 | 43.0 | 21.0 | 35.2 | 1.31 | ... | |
| | 2,425,800 | 1007 | 295 | 780 | 55 | 25 | 750 | 16.1 | 1.1 | | | 124 | 259 | 0 | 22 | 4 | 7 | 8 | 9 | *1 | 8 | 177 | 22 | 44.2 | 30.0 | 36.8 | 0.30 | ... | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Deaths of persons in the following towns: Glasgow, 1; Edinburgh, 1; Dundee, 1; Aberdeen, 1; Paisley, 1; Greenock, 1; Motherwell, 1; Wishaw, 1; Clydebank, 1; Coatbridge, 1; Dunfermline, 1; Kirkcaldy, 1; Hamilton, 1; Kilmarnock, 1; Ayr, 1; Falkirk, 1; Perth, 1.

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IN THE
Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 6. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 14th February 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 946 living children, the deaths of 830 persons, and 254 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 768. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·5 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·3 in Aberdeen and 22·7 in Perth, to 7·7 in Hamilton and 8·3 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (21·4), in Glasgow (18·4), and in Dundee (17·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 47, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include 1 from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 26 from whooping-cough, of which 22 occurred in Glasgow, 10 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 7 more, from enteric fever 1 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 1 more, but those from measles and from scarlet fever each number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 164, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 1·0 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 110, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 305. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 16 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·5, being 2°·8 above that for the previous week, and 5°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·02 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 14, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | TOWNS. | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------|-----------|------|----------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------|--|----------|--------------|----------|-------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | | | | | | | |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | | | | |
| GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 421 | 131 | 417 | 43 | 9 | 383 | 18.4 | 1.6 | 60 | 127 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 22 | 6 | 4 | *5 | 4 | 99 | 11 | 48.3 | 32.0 | 39.8 | 1.12 | 10.9 | GLASGOW. | | | | |
| EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 130 | 49 | 122 | 18 | 2 | 106 | 12.9 | 0.2 | 13 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 4 | 50.0 | 30.0 | 39.4 | 0.76 | 16.2 | EDINBURGH. | | | | |
| DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 76 | 16 | 58 | 5 | 2 | 55 | 17.2 | 0.6 | 8 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 47.5 | 31.0 | 38.3 | 0.43 | ... | DUNDEE. | | | | |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 67 | 9 | 76 | 6 | 1 | 71 | 23.3 | 0.3 | 9 | 39 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 2 | 50.0 | 32.0 | 38.9 | 0.69 | 16.3 | ABERDEEN | | | | |
| PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 38 | 3 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 23 | 13.7 | 0.0 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 50.1 | 30.6 | 40.7 | 1.62 | 13.1 | PAISLEY. | | | | |
| GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 43 | 6 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 21 | 13.3 | 0.0 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 50.2 | 32.0 | 40.5 | 2.05 | ... | GREENOCK. | | | | |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 24 | 4 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 19 | 13.8 | 0.7 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. | | | | |
| CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 22 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 9.4 | 1.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | CLYDEBANK. | | | | |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 18 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 13.9 | 3.5 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | COATBRIDGE. | | | | |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 17 | 4 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 12.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | DUNFERMLINE. | | | | |
| KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 16 | 7 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KIRKCALDY. | | | | |
| HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 18 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 7.7 | 1.3 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | HAMILTON. | | | | |
| KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 10 | 4 | 19 | 6 | 3 | 16 | 21.4 | 0.0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | KILMARNOCK. | | | | |
| AYR, | 37,600 | 17 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | AYR. | | | | |
| FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 16 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 12.8 | 1.4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | FALKIRK. | | | | |
| PERTH, | 32,200 | 13 | 5 | 19 | 5 | 0 | 14 | 22.7 | 1.6 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 50.0 | 31.0 | 39.2 | 0.48 | 11.2 | PERTH. | | | | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Feb. 14, 1931, Feb. 7, 1931, Feb. 15, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 946 | 254 | 830 | 91 | 29 | 768 | 16.4 | 1.0 | 110 | 305 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 26 | 10 | 7 | *6 | 11 | 164 | 19 | 50.2 | 30.0 | 39.5 | 1.02 | ... | Total, 16 Towns. | | | | |
| | 2,447,500 | 969 | 322 | 823 | 78 | 42 | 787 | 16.8 | 0.9 | 121 | 289 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 28 | 3 | 6 | *5 | 14 | 160 | 25 | 46.0 | 25.0 | 36.7 | 0.66 | ... | | | | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 909 | 245 | 857 | 91 | 37 | 803 | 17.3 | 0.9 | 107 | 294 | 0 | 15 | 1 | 11 | 12 | 4 | *2 | 12 | 176 | 29 | 46.0 | 20.0 | 34.5 | 0.16 | ... | | | | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

WEEKLY RETURN
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IN THE
Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 7. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 21st February 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 979 living children, the deaths of 869 persons, and 255 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 809. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·6 in Aberdeen and 21·4 in Kilmarnock, to 5·5 in Dunfermline and 8·3 in Ayr. A relatively high death-rate occurred in Glasgow (19·0), while in Edinburgh this rate was 15·6 and in Dundee 16·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 46, and are one fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 30 from whooping-cough (of which 25 occurred in Glasgow), 5 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, but those from measles number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 1 fewer, and from diphtheria 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 29, and are 18 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 205, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and is 0·4 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 116, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 276. The former are 6 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 29 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 37°·4, being 2°·1 below that for the previous week, but 5°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·73 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 21, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | TOWNS. |
|---|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------|--|----------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Infants under One Year of Age. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Enteric Fever. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. | Influenza. (See Note.) | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) |
| GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 460 | 116 | 431 | 43 | 9 | 397 | 19.0 | 1.8 | 57 | 116 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 25 | 4 | 7 | *1 | 20 | 112 | 13 | 47.0 | 31.2 | 37.8 | 0.79 | 10.5 | GLASGOW. |
| EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 146 | 58 | 144 | 17 | 1 | 128 | 15.6 | 0.1 | 21 | 47 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | *1 | 2 | 34 | 3 | 49.0 | 31.0 | 36.8 | 0.50 | 23.4 | EDINBURGH. |
| DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 56 | 18 | 54 | 4 | 2 | 52 | 16.2 | 0.6 | 5 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 49.1 | 29.7 | 35.9 | 0.19 | .. | DUNDEE. |
| ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 63 | 6 | 84 | 10 | 1 | 75 | 24.6 | 0.3 | 11 | 37 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *1 | 4 | 20 | 0 | 50.0 | 29.0 | 37.6 | 0.39 | 29.8 | ABERDEEN |
| PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 31 | 9 | 24 | 1 | 2 | 25 | 14.8 | 0.0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | *2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 46.8 | 31.4 | 37.6 | 0.95 | 14.4 | PAISLEY. |
| GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 31 | 8 | 25 | 1 | 2 | 26 | 16.4 | 1.3 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 47.0 | 32.0 | 38.3 | 2.05 | .. | GREENOCK. |
| MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 27 | 8 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 12.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW. |
| CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 22 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 10.5 | 0.0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | CLYDEBANK. |
| COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 26 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 9.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | COATBRIDGE. |
| DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 12 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 5.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | DUNFERMLINE. |
| KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 16 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | KIRKCALDY. |
| HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 27 | 9 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 16.7 | 1.3 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | HAMILTON. |
| KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 19 | 2 | 16 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 21.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | KILMARNOCK. |
| AYR, | 37,600 | 16 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | AYR. |
| FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 15 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 17.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | FALKIRK. |
| PERTH, | 32,200 | 12 | 4 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 16.2 | 3.2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 49.0 | 30.0 | 37.9 | 0.23 | 15.8 | PERTH. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Feb. 21 1931, Feb. 14, 1931, Feb. 22, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 979 | 255 | 869 | 88 | 28 | 809 | 17.2 | 1.0 | 116 | 276 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 30 | 5 | 9 | *6 | 29 | 205 | 23 | 50.0 | 29.0 | 37.4 | 0.73 | .. | Total, 16 Towns. } |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

WEEKLY RETURN
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No. 8. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 28th February 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1002 living children, the deaths of 991 persons, and 270 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 940. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 20·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 2·8 more than in the previous week, and 2·0 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 26·2 in Aberdeen and 24·4 in Coatbridge, to 9·4 in Clydebank and 11·4 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (21·4), in Glasgow (20·9), and in Paisley (20·8). In Edinburgh the rate was 19·7, and in Dundee 18·7.

Commencing with this week deaths from the principal epidemic diseases include those from influenza, from cerebro-spinal fever, and from certain other epidemic diseases which are named in the Table, but they no longer include deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood. They numbered 88 and equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 26 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 46 from influenza, 7 from cerebro-spinal fever, 1 from erysipelas, and 1 from encephalitis lethargica. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 17 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from measles number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 211, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·3 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 121, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 360. The former are 5 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 84 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 30, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 38°·3, being 0·9 above that for the previous week, and 1°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·57 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-------|------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. | (29) |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 486 | 117 | 460 | 41 | 17 | 436 | 20·9 | 2·4 | 65 | 151 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 23 | 6 | 1 | 120 | 5 | 15 | 50·9 | 38·2 | 0·49 | 16·8 | 1. | | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 142 | 45 | 172 | 15 | 5 | 162 | 19·7 | 1·7 | 14 | 67 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 30 | 1 | 4 | 55·0 | 38·9 | 0·25 | 27·3 | 2. | | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 73 | 26 | 60 | 4 | 4 | 60 | 18·7 | 0·9 | 9 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 54·5 | 37·9 | 0·18 | ... | 3. | | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 59 | 27 | 88 | 9 | 1 | 80 | 26·2 | 2·3 | 7 | 41 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 59·0 | 37·9 | 0·77 | 35·2 | 4. | | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 37 | 8 | 39 | 5 | 1 | 35 | 20·8 | 0·6 | 7 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 50·8 | 39·4 | 0·79 | 21·6 | 5. | | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 38 | 4 | 27 | 1 | 0 | 26 | 16·4 | 1·3 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 50·2 | 38·4 | 1·37 | ... | 6. | | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 32 | 6 | 24 | 0 | 1 | 25 | 18·2 | 0·7 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 21 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 9 | 9·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 24 | 2 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 24·4 | 2·3 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 6 | 6 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 11 | 15·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 14 | 3 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 18 | 21·4 | 1·2 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 20 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 14·1 | 5·1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 15 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 13 | 17·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 4 | 0 | 13 | 18·0 | 1·4 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 15 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 11·4 | 1·4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 14 | 5 | 18 | 6 | 0 | 12 | 19·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 55·0 | 37·4 | 0·11 | 31·2 | 16. | | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,447,500 | 1002 | 270 | 991 | 90 | 39 | 940 | 20·0 | 1·9 | 121 | 360 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 26 | 4 | 46 | 7 | 2 | 211 | 7 | 30 | 59·0 | 38·3 | 0·57 | ... | ... | ... | |
| | 2,447,500 | 979 | 255 | 869 | 88 | 28 | 809 | 17·2 | 1·0 | 116 | 276 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 30 | 5 | 29 | 6 | 0 | 205 | 9 | 23 | 50·0 | 37·4 | 0·73 | ... | ... | ... | |
| | 2,425,800 | 986 | 288 | 894 | 92 | 48 | 850 | 18·3 | 1·0 | 106 | 325 | 1 | 25 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 234 | 6 | 42 | 53·0 | 37·0 | 0·09 | ... | ... | ... | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 18 include deaths of which influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 9. **Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1931.** **Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 7th March 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 943 living children, the deaths of 919 persons, and 330 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 867. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 18·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average. The death-rate is 1·5 less than in the previous week, but 1·5 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·6 in Aberdeen and 22·5 in Dundee, to 4·3 in Falkirk and 9·7 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (22·1), in Hamilton (21·8), in Edinburgh (20·3), and in Dunfermline (19·3). In Glasgow the rate was 18·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 90, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 31 from whooping-cough, of which 26 occurred in Glasgow, 5 from diphtheria, 39 from influenza, 9 from cerebro-spinal fever, 1 from erysipelas, and 1 from encephalitis lethargica. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, from measles 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from erysipelas and from encephalitis lethargica each number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 1 fewer, and from influenza 7 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 182, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 114, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 339. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 21 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 32°·2, being 6°·1 below that for the previous week, and 8°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·22 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 7, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|----------------------------------|----------|--------------------------|------|----------|-----------------|-------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Violence | | | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 435 | 168 | 413 | 45 | 9 | 377 | 18.1 | 2.3 | 55 | 126 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 84 | 3 | 13 | 40.0 | 32.5 | 0.12 | 19.5 | 1. | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 133 | 58 | 187 | 22 | 2 | 167 | 20.3 | 2.1 | 12 | 79 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 49 | 0 | 2 | 45.0 | 32.7 | 0.31 | 32.0 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 62 | 24 | 73 | 5 | 4 | 72 | 22.5 | 1.6 | 7 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 39.6 | 31.7 | 0.26 | .. | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 67 | 23 | 75 | 7 | 4 | 72 | 23.6 | 2.6 | 7 | 41 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 39.0 | 29.8 | 0.61 | 24.8 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 26 | 7 | 23 | 1 | 4 | 26 | 15.4 | 1.8 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 41.7 | 22.1 | 0.11 | 21.4 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 40 | 3 | 27 | 1 | 3 | 29 | 18.3 | 1.9 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 41.3 | 25.0 | 0.11 | .. | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 27 | 7 | 16 | 0 | 3 | 19 | 13.8 | 1.5 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 15 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 5 | 14 | 14.7 | 1.0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 20 | 6 | 18 | 1 | 2 | 19 | 22.1 | 1.2 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 17 | 6 | 14 | 2 | 2 | 14 | 19.3 | 2.8 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 18 | 2 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 15.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 21 | 5 | 14 | 0 | 3 | 17 | 21.8 | 0.0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 15 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 21 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 21 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 16.2 | 0.0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 41.0 | 17.0 | .. | 24.9 | 16. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,447,500 | 943 | 330 | 919 | 95 | 43 | 867 | 18.5 | 1.9 | 114 | 339 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 31 | 5 | 39 | 9 | 2 | 182 | 7 | 18 | 45.0 | 11.0 | 32.2 | 0.22 | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,447,500 | 1002 | 270 | 991 | 90 | 39 | 940 | 20.0 | 1.9 | 121 | 360 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 26 | 4 | 46 | 7 | 2 | 211 | 7 | 30 | 59.0 | 25.0 | 38.3 | 0.57 | .. | |
| | 2,425,800 | 964 | 400 | 951 | 86 | 40 | 905 | 19.5 | 1.2 | 106 | 375 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 18 | 6 | 15 | 5 | 0 | 243 | 14 | 29 | 53.0 | 27.0 | 41.1 | 0.60 | .. | |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 10. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 14th March 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1026 living children, the deaths of 891 persons, and 204 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 841. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The marriage-rate is 2·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·9 below the average. The death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 31·6 in Greenock and 23·4 in Dunfermline, to 9·4 in Clydebank and 11·3 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (20·9), in Dundee (20·0), in Motherwell and Wishaw (18·9), in Edinburgh (18·8), and in Paisley (18·4). In Glasgow the rate was 17·2 and in Aberdeen 17·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 89, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 33 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 40 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were attributed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 2 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, from diphtheria 1 more, and from influenza 1 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 172, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 99, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 337. The former are 15 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 2 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 34°·2, being 2°·0 above that for the previous week, but 2°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·60 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 14, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | | | | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 484 | 101 | 383 | 33 | 9 | 359 | 17.2 | 2.0 | 55 | 115 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 25 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 67 | 10 | 16 | 41.4 | 35.1 | 0.83 | 18.4 | 1. | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 135 | 48 | 170 | 17 | 2 | 155 | 18.8 | 1.6 | 10 | 79 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 0 | 3 | 40.0 | 32.6 | 0.75 | 18.0 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 83 | 4 | 65 | 5 | 4 | 64 | 20.0 | 1.6 | 10 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 41.1 | 32.8 | 0.44 | ... | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 61 | 15 | 61 | 9 | 1 | 53 | 17.4 | 2.0 | 4 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 39.0 | 33.4 | 0.36 | 18.3 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 39 | 2 | 31 | 1 | 1 | 31 | 18.4 | 2.4 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 45.2 | 35.6 | 0.49 | 22.3 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 44 | 6 | 47 | 0 | 3 | 50 | 31.6 | 2.5 | 5 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 43.2 | 35.2 | 0.96 | ... | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 25 | 3 | 23 | 0 | 3 | 26 | 18.9 | 0.7 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 19 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 9.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 15 | 1 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 20.9 | 5.8 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 16 | 1 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 23.4 | 1.4 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 17 | 7 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 14.3 | 1.2 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 17 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 16.7 | 2.6 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 18 | 3 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 13.4 | 4.0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 17 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 12.5 | 1.4 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 25 | 2 | 11 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 11.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 11 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 11.3 | 1.6 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 45.0 | 34.7 | 0.86 | 27.7 | 16. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Mar. 14, 1931, Mar. 7, 1931, Mar. 15, 1930, | 2,447,500 2,447,500 2,425,800 | 1026 943 1004 | 204 330 232 | 891 919 828 | 81 95 77 | 31 43 45 | 841 867 796 | 17.9 18.5 17.1 | 1.9 1.9 1.3 | 99 114 130 | 337 339 285 | 0 0 0 | 0 3 35 | 1 1 1 | 33 31 13 | 6 5 4 | 40 39 15 | 5 9 6 | 4 2 0 | 172 182 187 | 10 7 8 | 27 18 31 | 45.2 45.0 55.0 | 34.2 32.2 37.1 | 0.60 0.22 0.31 | | Total 16 Towns. | |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis

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No. 11. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 21st March 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1019 living children, the deaths of 954 persons, and 212 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 881. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 18·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and 1·9 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 26·7 in Kilmarnock and 25·0 in Ayr, to 9·4 in Clydebank and 9·7 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (23·4), in Paisley (20·8), in Aberdeen (20·7), in Edinburgh (19·9), and in Glasgow (19·1). In Dundee the rate was 17·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 77, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 28 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 33 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to encephalitis lethargica. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from other epidemic diseases number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, and from influenza 7 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 215, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and is 0·8 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 125, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 364. The former are 26 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 27 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 17, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·1, being 6°·9 above that for the previous week, and 6°·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·27 inch.

NOTE. — The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 21, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | No. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Rainfall in Inches. | Temperature. | | | | Total 16 Towns. | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|-----------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | | | | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | Mean. | | | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | | | | | | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 443 | 97 | 430 | 41 | 10 | 399 | 19.1 | 1.6 | 61 | 136 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 96 | 6 | 8 | 54.2 | 31.2 | 41.2 | 0.52 | 18.3 | 1. | | | | | | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 139 | 41 | 187 | 27 | 4 | 164 | 19.9 | 1.5 | 16 | 87 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 38 | 0 | 3 | 52.0 | 27.0 | 41.4 | 0.05 | 29.3 | 2. | | | | | | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 76 | 17 | 60 | 4 | 1 | 57 | 17.8 | 1.9 | 7 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 49.0 | 30.7 | 40.2 | 0.06 | ... | 3 | | | | | | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 71 | 15 | 72 | 9 | 0 | 63 | 20.7 | 0.7 | 10 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 54.0 | 20.0 | 40.4 | 0.00 | 18.4 | 4. | | | | | | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 29 | 4 | 40 | 5 | 0 | 35 | 20.8 | 1.8 | 4 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 54.1 | 30.6 | 42.7 | 0.53 | 19.2 | 5. | | | | | | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 58 | 2 | 38 | 1 | 0 | 37 | 23.4 | 4.4 | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 53.0 | 31.3 | 41.4 | 0.56 | ... | 6. | | | | | | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 25 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 11.6 | 2.2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | | | | | | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 16 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 9.4 | 1.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | | | | | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 28 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 13 | 15.1 | 1.2 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | | | | | | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 18 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | | | | | | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 19 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 13 | 15.4 | 1.2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | | | | | | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 25 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 15.4 | 2.6 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | | | | | | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 21 | 4 | 23 | 3 | 0 | 20 | 26.7 | 5.3 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | | | | | | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 17 | 5 | 23 | 6 | 1 | 18 | 25.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | | | | | | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 19 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 11.4 | 1.4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | | | | | | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 15 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 16.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 53.0 | 25.0 | 40.5 | 0.18 | 16.9 | 16. | | | | | | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Mar. 21, 1931, Mar. 14, 1931, Mar. 22, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 1019 | 212 | 954 | 103 | 30 | 881 | 18.8 | 1.6 | 125 | 364 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 28 | 5 | 33 | 3 | 4 | 215 | 6 | 17 | 54.2 | 20.0 | 41.1 | 0.27 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis

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OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 12. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 28th March 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1029 living children, the deaths of 894 persons, and 225 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 821. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 17·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 25·0 in Dundee, 21·4 in Kirkcaldy and 21·4 in Kilmarnock, to 7·3 in Clydebank and 10·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (20·8), in Greenock (19·6), and in Glasgow (18·0). In Edinburgh the rate was 17·3 and in Aberdeen 14·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 66, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 20 from whooping-cough, none from diphtheria, 31 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 9 from other epidemic diseases, of which 6 were ascribed to erysipelas, 2 to encephalitis lethargica and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from other epidemic diseases are 5 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from measles are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from influenza 2 fewer, from diphtheria 5 fewer and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 211, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but is 0·6 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 115, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 309. The former are 10 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 55 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 15 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·9, being 1°·8 above that for the previous week, but 1°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·06 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 28, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | |
|---|--------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|----------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | | | | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 477 | 95 | 415 | 51 | 11 | 375 | 18.0 | 1.4 | 63 | 104 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 93 | 7 | 16 | 55.4 | 32.1 | 43.2 | 0.00 | 30.8 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 148 | 55 | 161 | 24 | 5 | 142 | 17.3 | 1.1 | 11 | 73 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 32 | 1 | 3 | 61.0 | 31.0 | 43.4 | 0.11 | 40.4 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 63 | 10 | 80 | 2 | 2 | 80 | 25.0 | 4.4 | 11 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 30 | 0 | 2 | 58.1 | 31.3 | 41.4 | 0.07 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 65 | 20 | 50 | 7 | 1 | 44 | 14.4 | 0.3 | 6 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 57.0 | 29.0 | 40.9 | 0.17 | 35.8 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 45 | 6 | 27 | 2 | 1 | 26 | 15.4 | 0.6 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 57.8 | 31.9 | 44.2 | 0.01 | 33.2 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 26 | 5 | 32 | 2 | 1 | 31 | 19.6 | 3.2 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 55.9 | 32.0 | 43.9 | 0.03 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 34 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 10.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 26 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 7.3 | 3.1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 24 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 12.8 | 1.2 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 17 | 5 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 11 | 5 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 18 | 21.4 | 1.2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 27 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 4 | 13 | 16.7 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 17 | 2 | 21 | 6 | 1 | 16 | 21.4 | 1.3 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 21 | 12 | 20 | 7 | 2 | 15 | 20.8 | 0.0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 14 | 1 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 12.8 | 1.4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 14 | 3 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 13.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 63.0 | 27.0 | 43.0 | 0.03 | 36.8 | 16. |
| Total, { Mar. 28, 1931, 16 Towns, { Mar. 21, 1931, week { ending. { Mar. 20, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 1029 | 225 | 894 | 112 | 39 | 821 | 17.5 | 1.4 | 115 | 309 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 20 | 0 | 31 | 4 | 9 | 211 | 8 | 32 | 63.0 | 27.0 | 42.9 | 0.06 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| | 2,447,500 | 1019 | 212 | 954 | 103 | 30 | 881 | 18.8 | 1.6 | 125 | 364 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 28 | 5 | 33 | 3 | 4 | 215 | 6 | 17 | 54.2 | 20.0 | 41.1 | 0.27 | ... | ... |
| | 2,425,800 | 1008 | 263 | 851 | 88 | 42 | 805 | 17.3 | 1.1 | 127 | 280 | 1 | 25 | 1 | 13 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 186 | 7 | 30 | 59.0 | 25.0 | 44.2 | 0.32 | ... | ... |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, and other epidemic diseases.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 13. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 4th April 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 895 living children, the deaths of 810 persons, and 367 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 759. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·8 less than in the previous week, and 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·0 more than in the previous week, and 1·8 above the average. The death-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·7 in Perth and 19·0 in Paisley, to 9·7 in Dunfermline and 10·3 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (17·3), in Falkirk (17·0), in Greenock (16·4), and in Coatbridge (16·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 15·1, in Dundee 15·9 and in Aberdeen 14·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 67, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 27 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, 27 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 8 more, from whooping-cough 7 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 fewer, from influenza 4 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 8 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 176, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 110, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 284. The former are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 25 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·5, being 3°·4 below that for the previous week, and 5°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·57 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TURN OVER.

REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 4, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | Total 16 Towns. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 399 | 189 | 392 | 39 | 7 | 360 | 17·3 | 1·8 | 60 | 110 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 84 | 4 | 14 | 49·5 | 31·4 | 40·0 | 0·46 | 15·8 | 1. | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 135 | 67 | 140 | 17 | 1 | 124 | 15·1 | 1·0 | 11 | 56 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 1 | 4 | 48·0 | 29·0 | 37·7 | 0·36 | 24·2 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 71 | 11 | 58 | 7 | 0 | 51 | 15·9 | 2·5 | 6 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 49·1 | 32·0 | 38·5 | 0·78 | ... | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 47 | 22 | 49 | 4 | 0 | 45 | 14·8 | 1·0 | 3 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 51·0 | 32·0 | 39·7 | 0·48 | 22·4 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 53 | 9 | 33 | 1 | 0 | 32 | 19·0 | 0·0 | 8 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 52·9 | 31·4 | 40·8 | 0·54 | 20·5 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 27 | 10 | 26 | 1 | 1 | 26 | 16·4 | 0·6 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 50·0 | 31·8 | 39·9 | 0·66 | ... | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 18 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 12·4 | 1·5 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 16 | 7 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 15 | 15·7 | 1·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 23 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 16·3 | 0·0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 13 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 9·7 | 2·8 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 19 | 8 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 14·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 23 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 10·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 12 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 14·7 | 1·3 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 11 | 2 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 15·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 15 | 7 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 17·0 | 2·8 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 13 | 8 | 15 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 22·7 | 1·6 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 52·0 | 29·0 | 39·6 | 0·71 | 30·8 | 16. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,447,500 | 895 | 367 | 810 | 78 | 27 | 759 | 16·2 | 1·4 | 110 | 284 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 27 | 8 | 27 | 3 | 1 | 176 | 8 | 22 | 52·9 | 29·0 | 39·5 | 0·57 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,447,500 | 1029 | 225 | 894 | 112 | 39 | 821 | 17·5 | 1·4 | 115 | 309 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 20 | 0 | 31 | 4 | 9 | 211 | 8 | 32 | 63·0 | 27·0 | 42·9 | 0·06 | ... | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 953 | 333 | 814 | 77 | 32 | 769 | 16·5 | 1·1 | 119 | 280 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 13 | 5 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 173 | 5 | 32 | 58·8 | 27·0 | 44·9 | 0·64 | ... | | |

Note.—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis were more in second during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 14. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 11th April 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1098 living children, the deaths of 880 persons, and 537 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 845. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 18·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 4·3 more than in the previous week, and 0·9 above the average. The marriage-rate is 3·6 more than in the previous week, and 2·5 above the average. The death-rate is 1·8 more than in the previous week, and 1·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 25·3 in Dundee and 24·3 in Perth, to 5·7 in Falkirk and 9·4 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (23·6), in Kirkcaldy (20·2), in Glasgow (18·3), and in Greenock (18·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 17·5 and in Aberdeen 16·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 76, and are 9 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 2 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 28 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 26 from influenza, 8 from cerebro-spinal fever, 3 from erysipelas, and 2 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from cerebro-spinal fever are 5 more, from other epidemic diseases 4 more, from scarlet fever 3 more, from measles 1 more, and from whooping-cough 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 4 fewer, and from influenza 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 160, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 118, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 343. The former are 8 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 59 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°·0, being 7°·5 above that for the previous week, and 2°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·11 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TURN OVER.

REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 11, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-----------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | | | | Maximum. | Minimum. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 510 | 303 | 398 | 34 | 17 | 381 | 18·3 | 1·9 | 65 | 135 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 2 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 80 | 5 | 16 | 61·5 | 31·2 | 47·0 | 0·09 | 31·0 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 178 | 85 | 151 | 14 | 7 | 144 | 17·5 | 0·9 | 7 | 81 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 25 | 0 | 7 | 64·0 | 33·0 | 47·8 | 0·03 | 39·4 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 75 | 35 | 82 | 3 | 2 | 81 | 25·3 | 4·1 | 10 | 34 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 0 | 4 | 62·8 | 31·2 | 46·0 | 0·05 | ... | 3 |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 68 | 25 | 58 | 10 | 1 | 49 | 16·1 | 0·7 | 9 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 60·0 | 33·0 | 45·6 | 0·07 | 40·2 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 34 | 9 | 34 | 7 | 0 | 27 | 16·0 | 1·8 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 60·8 | 30·8 | 48·3 | 0·21 | 34·2 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 48 | 6 | 25 | 0 | 4 | 29 | 18·3 | 1·3 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 59·2 | 33·0 | 46·2 | 0·24 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 32 | 5 | 21 | 0 | 2 | 23 | 16·7 | 0·7 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 16 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 9 | 9·4 | 1·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 24 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 17·4 | 4·6 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 9 | 11 | 16 | 3 | 0 | 13 | 17·9 | 1·4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 23 | 13 | 15 | 1 | 3 | 17 | 20·2 | 1·2 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 22 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 12·8 | 1·3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 13 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 14·7 | 1·3 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 18 | 10 | 23 | 6 | 0 | 17 | 23·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 18 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 5·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 10 | 9 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 15 | 24·3 | 0·0 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 63·0 | 31·0 | 48·4 | 0·05 | 41·0 | 16. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { | 2,447,500 | 1098 | 537 | 880 | 85 | 50 | 845 | 18·0 | 1·6 | 118 | 343 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 28 | 4 | 26 | 8 | 5 | 160 | 5 | 34 | 64·0 | 30·8 | 47·0 | 0·11 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| Apr. 11, 1931, { | 2,447,500 | 895 | 367 | 810 | 78 | 27 | 759 | 16·2 | 1·4 | 110 | 284 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 27 | 8 | 27 | 3 | 1 | 176 | 8 | 22 | 52·9 | 29·0 | 39·5 | 0·57 | ... | ... |
| Apr. 4, 1931, { | 2,425,800 | 1009 | 330 | 779 | 69 | 47 | 757 | 16·3 | 1·3 | 111 | 248 | 0 | 28 | 1 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 11 | 0 | 151 | 10 | 26 | 62·0 | 29·0 | 45·0 | 0·43 | ... | ... |
| Apr. 12, 1930, { | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 15. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th April 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 995 living children, the deaths of 682 persons, and 371 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 643. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·5 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average. The death-rate is 4·3 less than in the previous week, and 2·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·8 in Kirkcaldy and 17·2 in Dundee, to 6·4 in Hamilton and 6·5 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (15·1), in Greenock (14·5), in Aberdeen (14·4), in Glasgow (14·3), and in Falkirk (14·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 52, and are 24 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 20 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 21 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, 1 from erysipelas, and 1 from acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from acute poliomyelitis are 1 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while those from measles, from erysipelas and from lethargic encephalitis are 2 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 fewer, from influenza 5 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 131, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 90, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 243. The former are 28 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 100 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·8, being 2°·2 below that for the previous week, and 0°·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·35 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 18, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------|-----|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | | | | | | | | |
| | | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | | | | | | | | | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | From All Causes. | | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 501 | 157 | 313 | 28 | 13 | 298 | 14.3 | 1.4 | 49 | 98 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 71 | 7 | 9 | 52.0 | 45.3 | 0.24 | 18.1 | 1. | 22 | 56.1 | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 146 | 71 | 120 | 14 | 6 | 112 | 13.6 | 1.0 | 9 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 54.0 | 43.9 | 0.29 | 19.4 | 2. | 34 | 64.0 | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 77 | 53 | 57 | 4 | 2 | 55 | 17.2 | 0.6 | 12 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 55.0 | 44.3 | 0.33 | ... | 3. | 33 | 59.0 | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 60 | 15 | 50 | 8 | 2 | 44 | 14.4 | 0.3 | 9 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 53.0 | 44.8 | 0.48 | 23.6 | 4. | 33 | 59.0 | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 36 | 14 | 24 | 4 | 1 | 21 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 56.1 | 45.9 | 0.34 | 28.2 | 5. | 7 | 64.0 | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 32 | 10 | 24 | 2 | 1 | 23 | 14.5 | 1.3 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 52.9 | 45.1 | 0.57 | ... | 6. | 16 | 45.0 | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 23 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 8.0 | 1.5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | 22 | 53.0 | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 12 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 8.4 | 1.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | 9 | 53.0 | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 17 | 9 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 13 | 15.1 | 1.2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | 10 | 47.0 | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 16 | 7 | 13 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 12.4 | 0.0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | 33 | 47.0 | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 18 | 4 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 17.8 | 0.0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | 7 | 47.0 | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 17 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 6.4 | 1.3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | 11 | 47.0 | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 9 | 4 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 12.0 | 2.7 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | 12 | 47.0 | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 12 | 4 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | 13 | 47.0 | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 12 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 14.2 | 2.8 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | 14 | 47.0 | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 6.5 | 1.6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 25.6 | 16. | 33 | 45.0 | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,447,500 | 995 | 371 | 682 | 76 | 37 | 643 | 13.7 | 1.1 | 90 | 243 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 20 | 1 | 21 | 5 | 2 | 131 | 9 | 22 | 56.1 | 44.8 | 0.35 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| | 2,447,500 | 1098 | 537 | 880 | 85 | 50 | 845 | 18.0 | 1.6 | 118 | 343 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 28 | 4 | 26 | 8 | 5 | 160 | 5 | 34 | 64.0 | 47.0 | 0.11 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| | 2,425,800 | 867 | 345 | 744 | 86 | 49 | 707 | 15.2 | 1.2 | 98 | 241 | 0 | 27 | 0 | 16 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 129 | 7 | 33 | 59.0 | 45.0 | 0.19 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including deaths from smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, and infectious mononucleosis.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 16. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 25th April 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1084 living children, the deaths of 695 persons, and 366 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 658. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·9 above the average. The marriage-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 1·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·4 in Ayr and 17·8 in Perth, to 7·1 in Falkirk and 8·2 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (15·4), in Kirkealdy (15·4), in Coatbridge (15·1), in Clydebank (14·7), in Edinburgh (14·6), and in Hamilton (14·1). In Dundee the rate was 11·6 and in Aberdeen 11·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 53, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 25 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 11 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, 2 from erysipelas, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, from scarlet fever 3 more, from diphtheria 3 more, from measles 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 2 fewer and from influenza 10 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 122, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 231. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 12 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 41, and are 19 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·2, being 0·6 below that for the previous week, and 2°·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·72 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 25, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-----------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 528 | 163 | 345 | 35 | 11 | 321 | 15.4 | 1.9 | 53 | 101 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 22 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 67 | 3 | 17 | 54.3 | 37.1 | 45.9 | 0.63 | 17.4 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 164 | 98 | 126 | 15 | 9 | 120 | 14.6 | 0.7 | 11 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 9 | 54.0 | 34.0 | 43.6 | 0.99 | 21.1 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 87 | 19 | 38 | 1 | 0 | 37 | 11.6 | 0.3 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 53.2 | 32.3 | 42.3 | 0.59 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 64 | 17 | 41 | 5 | 0 | 36 | 11.8 | 0.3 | 5 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 50.0 | 30.0 | 42.1 | 0.35 | 19.1 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 33 | 11 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 23 | 13.7 | 0.0 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 55.7 | 35.3 | 46.3 | 0.64 | 20.0 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 41 | 9 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 8.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 53.0 | 37.0 | 45.6 | 0.76 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 29 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 13 | 9.5 | 0.7 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 16 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 14 | 14.7 | 0.0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 25 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 15.1 | 1.2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 10 | 1 | 13 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 14 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 13 | 15.4 | 3.6 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 14.1 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 13 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 20 | 7 | 16 | 3 | 1 | 14 | 19.4 | 1.4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 15 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 10 | 5 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 11 | 17.8 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 55.0 | 31.0 | 43.5 | 1.06 | 20.4 | 16. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,447,500 | 1084 | 366 | 695 | 74 | 37 | 658 | 14.0 | 1.1 | 83 | 231 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 25 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 122 | 6 | 41 | 55.7 | 30.0 | 44.2 | 0.72 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| | 2,447,500 | 995 | 371 | 682 | 76 | 37 | 643 | 13.7 | 1.1 | 90 | 243 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 20 | 1 | 21 | 5 | 2 | 131 | 9 | 22 | 56.1 | 34.8 | 44.8 | 0.35 | ... | |
| | 2,425,800 | 1123 | 653 | 747 | 74 | 40 | 713 | 15.3 | 1.1 | 100 | 264 | 1 | 24 | 2 | 17 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 0 | 146 | 7 | 31 | 61.1 | 35.0 | 46.4 | 0.71 | ... | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from Glasgow in Scotland during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 17. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 2nd May 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 958 living children, the deaths of 712 persons, and 537 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 669. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·7 less than in the previous week, and 2·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·6 more than in the previous week, and 1·6 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·4 in Ayr and 18·5 in Falkirk, to 10·3 in Hamilton and 10·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (18·4), in Perth (16·2), and in Coatbridge (15·1). In Glasgow and in Aberdeen the rate was 14·1, and in Edinburgh 13·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 43, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 4 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 17 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, 3 from encephalitis lethargica, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 3 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from diphtheria number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 2 fewer, from influenza 6 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 115, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 105, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 229. The former are 22 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 2 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 20 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 46°·0, being 1·8 above that for the previous week, but 1·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·28 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 2, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|-----|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 410 | 241 | 319 | 34 | 10 | 295 | 14.1 | 1.2 | 55 | 92 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 55 | 4 | 12 | 57.9 | 36.9 | 46.9 | 0.16 | 50.1 | 1. | 21 | 7 | 115 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 46.0 | 0.28 | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 160 | 114 | 124 | 19 | 8 | 113 | 13.7 | 0.6 | 10 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 23 | 1 | 3 | 56.0 | 36.0 | 44.6 | 0.42 | 47.2 | 2. | 41 | 6 | 122 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 44.2 | 0.72 | ... | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 61 | 31 | 61 | 3 | 1 | 59 | 18.4 | 1.6 | 12 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 58.5 | 33.6 | 45.1 | 0.52 | ... | 3. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 68 | 38 | 49 | 5 | 0 | 44 | 14.1 | 0.3 | 7 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 54.0 | 35.0 | 44.5 | 0.23 | 23.5 | 4. | 33 | 6 | 122 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 44.2 | 0.01 | ... | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 40 | 18 | 25 | 2 | 0 | 23 | 13.7 | 1.8 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 61.4 | 36.9 | 47.8 | 0.15 | 58.9 | 5. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 43 | 19 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 13.9 | 0.0 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 58.8 | 37.0 | 46.4 | 0.24 | ... | 6. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 35 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 13.1 | 0.0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 27 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 10.5 | 2.1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 19 | 7 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 15.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 14 | 11 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 13.8 | 1.4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 18 | 16 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 18 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 10.3 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 15 | 11 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 12 | 2 | 19 | 5 | 0 | 14 | 19.4 | 0.0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 9 | 11 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 18.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 6 | 0 | 10 | 16.2 | 0.0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 16. | 33 | 4 | 128 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 47.2 | 0.01 | ... | | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 2, 1931, Apl. 25, 1931, May 3, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 958 | 537 | 712 | 79 | 36 | 669 | 14.3 | 0.9 | 105 | 229 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 17 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 115 | 7 | 21 | 61.4 | 32.0 | 46.0 | 0.28 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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No. 18. **Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 9, 1931.** **Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 9th May 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 957 living children, the deaths of 676 persons, and 173 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 625. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 3·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 2·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 7·8 less than in the previous week, and 6·8 below the average. The death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·5 in Dundee and 15·2 in Glasgow, to 5·2 in Clydebank and 7·7 in Hamilton. A relatively high death-rate occurred in Ayr (13·9). In Edinburgh it was 12·8, and in Aberdeen 11·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 43, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 19 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 2 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever number the same, while from measles they are 1 fewer, from influenza 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 88, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 93, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 241. The former are 12 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 12 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°·6, being 1°·6 above that for the previous week, and 2°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·26 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. | (29) |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 417 | 98 | 342 | 34 | 10 | 318 | 15.2 | 1.3 | 58 | 106 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 41 | 6 | 7 | 62.4 | 34.3 | 48.6 | 1.72 | 35.9 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 152 | 25 | 120 | 16 | 1 | 105 | 12.8 | 0.5 | 10 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 7 | 61.0 | 35.0 | 46.4 | 0.58 | 44.6 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 78 | 10 | 58 | 3 | 1 | 56 | 17.5 | 0.6 | 4 | 31 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 59.2 | 33.0 | 47.2 | 0.86 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 43 | 15 | 40 | 8 | 4 | 36 | 11.8 | 0.3 | 6 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 55.0 | 33.0 | 45.2 | 0.78 | 49.5 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 45 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 10.1 | 1.8 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 63.0 | 34.0 | 49.4 | 1.91 | 44.7 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 44 | 5 | 16 | 2 | 1 | 15 | 9.5 | 0.6 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 62.0 | 36.3 | 48.8 | 2.11 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 30 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 17 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 5.2 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 30 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10.5 | 1.2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 9 | 2 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 11.0 | 1.4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 13 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 27 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7.7 | 1.3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 11 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 12 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 13.9 | 1.4 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 13 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 9.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 16 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 63.0 | 29.0 | 47.5 | 0.85 | 41.0 | 16. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,447,500 | 957 | 173 | 676 | 80 | 29 | 625 | 13.3 | 0.9 | 93 | 241 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 19 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 88 | 10 | 22 | 63.0 | 29.0 | 47.6 | 1.26 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| | 2,447,500 | 961 | 538 | 712 | 79 | 36 | 669 | 14.3 | 0.9 | 105 | 229 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 17 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 115 | 7 | 21 | 61.4 | 32.0 | 46.0 | 0.28 | ... | |
| | 2,425,800 | 1084 | 149 | 770 | 96 | 43 | 717 | 15.4 | 1.2 | 105 | 268 | 0 | 24 | 2 | 15 | 5 | 10 | 5 | - | 117 | 11 | 36 | 59.8 | 30.0 | 44.8 | 0.26 | ... | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 19. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 16th May 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1039 living children, the deaths of 643 persons, and 119 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 586. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·7 more than in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·8 in Perth and 17·4 in Coatbridge, to 6·3 in Clydebank and 7·7 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (15·3), in Aberdeen (13·5), in Glasgow (13·1), and in Edinburgh (12·8). In Dundee the rate was 12·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 40, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 18 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 6 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, 3 from erysipelas, and 3 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from lethargic encephalitis are 3 more, from erysipelas 2 more, and from influenza 2 more, but those from measles number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 4 fewer, and from diphtheria 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 102, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and is the same as the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 77, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 212. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 29 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 52°·7, being 5°·1 above that for the previous week, and 3°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·64 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|--|--------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------|------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|--------------|---|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | | |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 482 | 61 | 297 | 34 | 11 | 274 | 13.1 | 0.9 | 41 | 79 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 55 | 5 | 10 | 61.5 | 44.1 | 52.9 | 0.73 | 29.8 | 1. | Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { May 16, 1931, May 9, 1931, May 17, 1930, |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 156 | 28 | 120 | 22 | 7 | 105 | 12.8 | 0.6 | 6 | 47 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 3 | 60.0 | 43.0 | 52.7 | 0.22 | 40.7 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 85 | 2 | 47 | 7 | 0 | 40 | 12.5 | 1.9 | 13 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 63.2 | 43.3 | 53.0 | 0.20 | ... | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 64 | 9 | 45 | 6 | 2 | 41 | 13.5 | 0.0 | 4 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 61.0 | 42.0 | 52.4 | 0.51 | 38.1 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 40 | 1 | 19 | 2 | 0 | 17 | 10.1 | 1.2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 61.4 | 42.8 | 52.6 | 1.12 | 34.3 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 43 | 3 | 20 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 10.7 | 1.3 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 59.0 | 40.6 | 52.0 | 1.48 | ... | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 27 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 12 | 8.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 18 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 6.3 | 1.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 19 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 17.4 | 0.0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 13 | 1 | 14 | 6 | 0 | 8 | 11.0 | 1.4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 9 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 26 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 7.7 | 1.3 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 17 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 10.7 | 1.3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 16 | 4 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 15.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 13 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11.4 | 1.4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 11 | 1 | 14 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 17.8 | 1.6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 63.0 | 40.0 | 53.0 | 0.25 | 41.4 | 16. | |
| 2,447,500 | | 1039 | 119 | 643 | 89 | 32 | 586 | 12.5 | 0.9 | 77 | 212 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 102 | 5 | 22 | 63.2 | 40.0 | 52.7 | 0.64 | ... | Total | |
| 2,447,500 | | 957 | 173 | 676 | 80 | 29 | 625 | 13.3 | 0.9 | 93 | 241 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 19 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 88 | 10 | 22 | 63.0 | 29.0 | 47.6 | 1.26 | ... | 16 Towns. | |
| 2,425,800 | | 1049 | 104 | 699 | 85 | 48 | 662 | 14.2 | 1.2 | 96 | 230 | 0 | 24 | 2 | 15 | 9 | 7 | 5 | - | 109 | 4 | 26 | 63.0 | 37.0 | 49.0 | 1.18 | ... | week ending, | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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| No. 20. | Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1931. | Price 2d. net. |
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During the week ending 23rd May 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1003 living children, the deaths of 633 persons, and 113 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 590. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·2 in Dundee and 15·4 in Aberdeen, to 4·2 in Ayr and 5·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 13·9, and in Edinburgh 11·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 37, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 6 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 6 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, namely 2 from erysipelas and 1 from encephalitis lethargica. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 3 more, from diphtheria 1 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from scarlet fever and from influenza each number the same, while from other epidemic diseases they are 3 fewer, and from whooping-cough 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 75, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 79, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 223. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 11 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·7, being 4°·0 below that for the previous week, and 3°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·26 inch.

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| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | | | | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 483 | 60 | 301 | 24 | 13 | 290 | 13.9 | 1.1 | 48 | 87 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 41 | 6 | 8 | 60.4 | 39.0 | 49.6 | 0.42 | 32.2 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 141 | 21 | 112 | 20 | 2 | 94 | 11.4 | 0.5 | 6 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 57.0 | 36.0 | 46.4 | 0.07 | 49.6 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 64 | 7 | 56 | 1 | 0 | 55 | 17.2 | 1.2 | 3 | 26 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 59.5 | 34.6 | 48.1 | 0.03 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 74 | 18 | 54 | 8 | 1 | 47 | 15.4 | 0.3 | 6 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 57.0 | 32.0 | 46.7 | 0.55 | 36.3 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 34 | 0 | 23 | 3 | 0 | 20 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 61.3 | 36.2 | 49.9 | 0.26 | 31.6 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 33 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 7.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 59.3 | 40.0 | 49.6 | 0.18 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 21 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 5.8 | 0.0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 22 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 8.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 26 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 10.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 14 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 12.4 | 1.4 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 13 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 10.7 | 1.2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 23 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 7.7 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 21 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 10.7 | 1.3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 12 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 14 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 8.5 | 2.8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 8 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 62.0 | 34.0 | 50.3 | 0.30 | 33.5 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,447,500 | 1003 | 113 | 633 | 65 | 22 | 590 | 12.6 | 0.8 | 79 | 223 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 13 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 75 | 9 | 21 | 62.0 | 32.0 | 48.7 | 0.26 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,447,500 | 1039 | 119 | 643 | 89 | 32 | 586 | 12.5 | 0.9 | 77 | 212 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 102 | 5 | 22 | 63.2 | 40.0 | 52.7 | 0.64 | ... | | ... |
| | 2,425,800 | 982 | 135 | 649 | 77 | 28 | 600 | 12.9 | 0.8 | 79 | 210 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 5 | - | 96 | 4 | 32 | 68.0 | 41.0 | 52.1 | 0.13 | ... | | ... |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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No. 21. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 30, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 30th May 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 955 living children, the deaths of 673 persons, and 118 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 625. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·4 in Kilmarnock and 16·2 in Dundee, to 8·0 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 9·0 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (14·4), in Glasgow (13·9), and in Dunfermline (13·8). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 40, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 8 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 3 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, from influenza 2 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 1 fewer, from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 86, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 220. The former are 7 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 3 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·0, being 6°·3 above that for the previous week, and 1°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·40 inch.

NOTE. —The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 30, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 436 | 65 | 317 | 38 | 12 | 291 | 13.9 | 1.0 | 50 | 87 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 50 | 6 | 11 | 67.2 | 43.8 | 55.0 | 1.50 | 25.6 | 1. | } | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 135 | 24 | 117 | 18 | 5 | 104 | 12.6 | 0.5 | 8 | 46 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 67.0 | 45.0 | 54.9 | 1.34 | 47.7 | 2. | | .. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 70 | 4 | 57 | 5 | 0 | 52 | 16.2 | 1.9 | 4 | 19 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 68.5 | 44.2 | 55.2 | 1.41 | ... | 3. | .. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 67 | 15 | 49 | 5 | 0 | 44 | 14.4 | 0.7 | 5 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 61.0 | 43.0 | 52.6 | 1.54 | 50.5 | 4. | .. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 32 | 1 | 22 | 2 | 2 | 22 | 13.1 | 2.4 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 69.6 | 41.8 | 55.8 | 1.25 | 29.8 | 5. | .. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 37 | 2 | 17 | 2 | 1 | 16 | 10.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 69.7 | 45.2 | 55.3 | 1.79 | ... | 6. | .. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 26 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | .. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 18 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 9.4 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | .. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 12.8 | 1.2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | .. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 21 | 2 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 13.8 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | .. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 17 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | .. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 17 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 9.0 | 1.3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | .. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 18 | 0 | 15 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 21.4 | 2.7 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | .. | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 21 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | .. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 11 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 9.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | .. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 9 | 3 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 13.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 72.0 | 47.0 | 56.1 | 1.00 | 37.7 | 16. | .. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { May 30, 1931, May 23, 1931, May 31, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 955 | 118 | 673 | 84 | 36 | 625 | 13.3 | 0.9 | 86 | 220 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 86 | 9 | 24 | 72.0 | 41.8 | 55.0 | 1.40 | ... | .. | } | |
| | 2,447,500 | 1003 | 113 | 633 | 65 | 22 | 590 | 12.6 | 0.8 | 79 | 223 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 13 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 75 | 9 | 21 | 62.0 | 32.0 | 48.7 | 0.26 | ... | .. | | Total 16 Towns. |
| | 2,425,800 | 934 | 124 | 650 | 77 | 40 | 613 | 13.2 | 0.7 | 65 | 225 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 16 | 3 | 2 | 2 | - | 97 | 5 | 38 | 73.2 | 36.0 | 53.6 | 0.02 | ... | .. | | Towns. |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, poliomyelitis and tetanus.

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No. 22. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 6th June 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 1012 living children, the deaths of 637 persons, and 466 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 597. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 more than in the previous week, and is the same as the average. The marriage-rate is 7·4 more than in the previous week, and 4·9 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·4 in Paisley, 15·4 in Hamilton, 15·3 in Dundee, and 15·3 in Ayr, to 8·3 in Kirkcaldy and 8·5 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (15·2), in Aberdeen (14·8), in Kilmarnock (14·7), in Greenock (13·9), and in Edinburgh (13·0). In Glasgow the rate was 12·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 41, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 9 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, 3 from erysipelas, 1 from lethargic encephalitis, and 1 from acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, from measles 2 more, from erysipelas 1 more, from lethargic encephalitis 1 more, and from acute poliomyelitis 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from influenza 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 67, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 75, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 217. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 3 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·5, being 6°·5 below that for the previous week, and 8°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·71 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 6, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | Temperature. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| (1) GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 475 | 224 | 264 | 26 | 13 | 251 | 12.0 | 1.2 | 38 | 75 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 23 | 10 | 12 | 58.8 | 41.9 | 49.4 | 1.45 | 3.8 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 151 | 72 | 126 | 22 | 3 | 107 | 13.0 | 0.5 | 7 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 57.0 | 40.0 | 46.7 | 2.06 | 2.6 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 65 | 30 | 52 | 4 | 1 | 49 | 15.3 | 2.2 | 8 | 18 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 53.5 | 41.0 | 47.7 | 2.03 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 65 | 35 | 55 | 10 | 0 | 45 | 14.8 | 0.7 | 4 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 52.0 | 41.0 | 47.4 | 1.49 | 17.3 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 37 | 20 | 27 | 2 | 1 | 26 | 15.4 | 1.2 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 60.1 | 42.3 | 49.9 | 1.49 | 2.9 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 42 | 11 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 13.9 | 0.0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 57.0 | 41.8 | 49.0 | 1.62 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 30 | 10 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 9.5 | 0.0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 12 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 9.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 22 | 10 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 11.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 17 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 13 | 9 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 15.4 | 1.3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 23 | 4 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 14.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 16 | 7 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 15.3 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 23 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 8.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 11 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 55.0 | 43.0 | 49.1 | 1.86 | 3.3 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { June 6, 1931, May 30, 1931, June 7, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 1012 | 466 | 637 | 72 | 32 | 597 | 12.7 | 0.9 | 75 | 217 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 67 | 12 | 31 | 60.1 | 40.0 | 48.5 | 1.71 | ... | ... | ... |
| | 2,447,500 | 955 | 118 | 673 | 84 | 36 | 625 | 13.3 | 0.9 | 86 | 220 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 86 | 9 | 24 | 72.0 | 41.8 | 55.0 | 1.40 | ... | ... | ... |
| | 2,425,800 | 981 | 414 | 676 | 92 | 54 | 638 | 13.7 | 0.9 | 69 | 217 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 12 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 88 | 5 | 28 | 77.0 | 41.0 | 56.8 | 0.02 | ... | ... | ... |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 23. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 13th June 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 990 living children, the deaths of 609 persons, and 608 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 558. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 13·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·1 more than in the previous week, and 1·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·0 in Falkirk and 15·2 in Greenock, to 6·5 in Perth and 8·4 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (14·8), in Dundee (12·8), in Aberdeen (12·5), in Glasgow (12·4), and in Dunfermline (12·4). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 18, and are 23 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 4 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever number the same, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, from influenza 3 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 4 fewer, from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer, from measles 5 fewer, and from whooping-cough 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 68, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 75, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 194. The former number the same as in the previous week, but the latter are 23 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 17, and are 14 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 53°·6, being 5°·1 above that for the previous week, but 1°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·34 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 13, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-----------------|-------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 471 | 274 | 282 | 32 | 9 | 259 | 12.4 | 0.5 | 42 | 80 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 8 | 2 | 66.4 | 54.0 | 1.13 | 17.8 | 1. | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 133 | 126 | 105 | 22 | 3 | 86 | 10.5 | 0.4 | 8 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 64.0 | 40.0 | 1.11 | 23.8 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 77 | 29 | 45 | 4 | 0 | 41 | 12.8 | 0.6 | 5 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 66.7 | 40.7 | 1.31 | .. | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 62 | 69 | 40 | 3 | 1 | 38 | 12.5 | 0.3 | 5 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 65.0 | 43.0 | 0.87 | 24.5 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 30 | 13 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 25 | 14.8 | 0.0 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 70.9 | 42.1 | 1.39 | 22.1 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 42 | 9 | 21 | 0 | 3 | 24 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 67.0 | 41.0 | 1.90 | .. | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 37 | 12 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 9.5 | 0.0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 8.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 18 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 9.3 | 1.2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 18 | 8 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 12.4 | 0.0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 14 | 15 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 15 | 9 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 9.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 14 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 19 | 6 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 17.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 17 | 12 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 6.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 70.0 | 55.6 | 1.70 | 19.0 | 16. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { June 13, 1931, June 6, 1931, June 14, 1930, | 2,447,500 | 990 | 608 | 609 | 74 | 23 | 558 | 11.9 | 0.4 | 75 | 194 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 68 | 8 | 17 | 70.9 | 40.0 | 53.6 | 1.34 | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,447,500 | 1012 | 466 | 637 | 72 | 32 | 597 | 12.7 | 0.9 | 75 | 217 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 67 | 12 | 31 | 60.1 | 40.0 | 48.5 | 1.71 | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 988 | 654 | 615 | 77 | 38 | 576 | 12.4 | 0.7 | 62 | 226 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 11 | 4 | 4 | 0 | - | 75 | 5 | 22 | 74.6 | 40.0 | 55.4 | 0.50 | | |

Note :— Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 24. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 20th June 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,447,500, the births of 981 living children, the deaths of 568 persons, and 418 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 514. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·1 less than in the previous week, and 1·9 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 1·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·7 in Kilmarnock and 14·6 in Perth, to 5·5 in Dunfermline and 5·7 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (13·1), in Coatbridge (12·8), in Aberdeen (11·8), in Hamilton (11·5), in Edinburgh (11·4), in Falkirk (11·4), in Glasgow (11·1), and in Ayr (11·1). In Dundee the rate was 10·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 31, and are 13 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 9 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas, 2 to lethargic encephalitis, and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 5 more, from other epidemic diseases 5 more, from diphtheria 4 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 3 more, but those from influenza number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 68, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, and is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 48, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 183. The former are 27 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 11 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·6, being 1°·0 above that for the previous week, but 5°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·92 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 20, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Estimated Population. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|-----------------|----|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,200 | 463 | 198 | 256 | 27 | 3 | 232 | 11.1 | 1.0 | 28 | 71 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 34 | 5 | 10 | 62.8 | 46.5 | 54.9 | 2.05 | 20.8 | 1. | } | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 428,800 | 141 | 80 | 113 | 22 | 3 | 94 | 11.4 | 0.2 | 4 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 6 | 63.0 | 44.0 | 54.1 | 1.50 | 32.4 | 2. | | 16 |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 167,000 | 52 | 25 | 36 | 3 | 0 | 33 | 10.3 | 0.6 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 66.5 | 42.0 | 54.7 | 2.06 | ... | 3. | | 16 |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 158,900 | 58 | 36 | 42 | 6 | 0 | 36 | 11.8 | 0.0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 67.0 | 40.0 | 53.6 | 1.65 | 31.3 | 4. | | 16 |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 87,800 | 36 | 11 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 13.1 | 1.2 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 62.1 | 44.1 | 55.2 | 1.96 | 23.4 | 5. | | 16 |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 82,500 | 45 | 11 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 5.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 61.9 | 47.0 | 54.8 | 2.77 | ... | 6. | | 16 |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 71,700 | 25 | 7 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 9.5 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | | 16 |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 49,800 | 21 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 9.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | 16 |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 44,900 | 14 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 12.3 | 1.2 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | | 16 |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 37,800 | 20 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | | 16 |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,900 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7.1 | 1.2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | | 16 |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 40,700 | 29 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 11.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | | 16 |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 39,000 | 18 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 14.7 | 2.7 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | | 16 |
| 14. AYR, | 37,600 | 20 | 8 | 14 | 6 | 0 | 8 | 11.1 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | | 16 |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,700 | 15 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 11.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | | 16 |
| 16. PERTH, | 32,200 | 9 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 14.6 | 0.0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 64.0 | 44.0 | 55.0 | 1.46 | 31.4 | 16. | | 16 |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,447,500 | 981 | 418 | 568 | 74 | 20 | 514 | 11.0 | 0.7 | 48 | 183 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 68 | 6 | 25 | 67.0 | 40.0 | 54.6 | 1.92 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | 16 | |
| | 2,447,500 | 990 | 608 | 609 | 74 | 23 | 558 | 11.9 | 0.4 | 75 | 194 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 68 | 8 | 17 | 70.9 | 40.0 | 53.6 | 1.34 | ... | | 16 | |
| | 2,425,800 | 976 | 396 | 573 | 65 | 34 | 542 | 11.7 | 0.6 | 68 | 187 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 2 | - | 87 | 6 | 41 | 77.9 | 43.0 | 60.4 | 0.97 | ... | | 16 | |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland.

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IN THE

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No. 25. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1931. Price 2d. net.

The population figures published in this week's Report are those ascertained by the recent Census. They show that the population of the Sixteen Large Burghs collectively amounts to 2,453,319 as compared with an estimate hitherto in use of 2,447,500. The birth and death rates of recent weeks have been adjusted accordingly.

During the week ending 27th June 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, the births of 991 living children, the deaths of 578 persons, and 473 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 542. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, and 1·0 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·8 in Kilmarnock and 15·7 in Coatbridge, to 4·5 in Dunfermline and 5·7 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (15·2), in Aberdeen (12·8), in Falkirk (12·8), in Dundee (12·5), in Greenock (11·9) and in Edinburgh (11·8). In Glasgow the rate was 11·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 27, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 6 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, none from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, from measles 3 fewer and from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 45, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 72, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 191. The former are 24 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 8 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·8, being 1°·2 above that for the previous week, and 0°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·28 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 27, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------|------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. | | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 457 | 225 | 259 | 32 | 9 | 236 | 11·3 | 0·8 | 41 | 77 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 25 | 8 | 16 | 65·2 | 44·1 | 55·1 | 0·22 | 40·1 | 1. | } | | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 160 | 98 | 109 | 17 | 7 | 99 | 11·8 | 0·0 | 4 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 68·0 | 44·0 | 55·4 | 0·15 | 53·5 | 2. | | 16 | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 65 | 21 | 45 | 3 | 0 | 42 | 12·5 | 0·9 | 5 | 17 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 67·1 | 41·0 | 56·4 | 0·00 | ... | 3. | | 25 | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 78 | 43 | 46 | 6 | 1 | 41 | 12·8 | 1·2 | 4 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 72·0 | 40·0 | 55·2 | 0·04 | 52·2 | 4. | | 68 | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 29 | 14 | 18 | 2 | 1 | 17 | 10·3 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 67·4 | 43·0 | 56·2 | 0·18 | 42·4 | 5. | | 26 | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 47 | 9 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 18 | 11·9 | 0·0 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 63·6 | 42·0 | 54·9 | 0·94 | ... | 6. | | 63 | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 24 | 11 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 11·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | | 67·7 | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 20 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 6·7 | 1·1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | 55·4 | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 20 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 5 | 13 | 15·7 | 1·2 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | | 54·6 | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 12 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | | 1·92 | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 14 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | | 0·77 | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 15 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 11 | 15·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | | } | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 14 | 3 | 12 | 2 | 3 | 13 | 17·8 | 2·7 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | | | 38·0 |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 12 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 5·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | | | 40·0 |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 16 | 7 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 12·8 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | | | 55·8 |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 8 | 10 | 11 | 4 | 0 | 7 | 10·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 71·0 | 38·0 | 57·4 | 0·43 | 55·0 | 16. | | 54·6 | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 991 | 473 | 578 | 74 | 38 | 542 | 11·5 | 0·6 | 72 | 191 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 45 | 11 | 32 | 72·0 | 38·0 | 55·8 | 0·28 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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No. 26. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 4, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 4th July 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 951 living children, the deaths of 578 persons, and 660 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 539. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 14·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·9 more than in the previous week, and 3·2 above the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 15·9 in Aberdeen, to 5·5 in Clydebank and 5·7 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (15·5), in Dunfermline (14·9), in Greenock (12·5) and in Edinburgh (12·4). In Glasgow the rate was 11·1 and in Dundee 8·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 21, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 2 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, none from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 6 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, 1 to dysentery and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from cerebro-spinal fever are 2 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, and from influenza 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 3 fewer and from measles 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 63, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 56, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 217. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 26 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 56°·8, being 1°·0 above that for the previous week, but 4°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·42 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 4, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | | | | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 450 | 340 | 253 | 31 | 10 | 232 | 11.1 | 0.5 | 31 | 81 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 24 | 4 | 9 | 66.0 | 46.5 | 56.2 | 0.59 | 23.5 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 155 | 110 | 123 | 22 | 3 | 104 | 12.4 | 0.2 | 10 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 5 | 66.0 | 45.0 | 56.3 | 0.03 | 38.0 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 69 | 33 | 31 | 4 | 3 | 30 | 8.9 | 0.3 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 69.7 | 46.6 | 57.2 | 0.23 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 55 | 45 | 52 | 4 | 3 | 51 | 15.9 | 0.9 | 3 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 65.0 | 45.0 | 56.4 | 0.20 | 41.1 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 27 | 13 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 9.0 | 0.6 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 67.2 | 46.0 | 57.1 | 0.57 | 28.5 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 36 | 21 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 12.5 | 0.7 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 64.9 | 48.7 | 56.5 | 1.04 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 28 | 7 | 16 | 0 | 5 | 21 | 16.9 | 0.0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 27 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 5.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 23 | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 14.9 | 1.5 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 15 | 9 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 15.5 | 1.2 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 17 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 14 | 9 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 10.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 11 | 28 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 10.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 11 | 15 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 67.0 | 46.0 | 57.7 | 0.28 | 38.5 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 951 | 660 | 578 | 73 | 34 | 539 | 11.5 | 0.4 | 56 | 217 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 63 | 7 | 27 | 69.7 | 45.0 | 56.8 | 0.42 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| July 4, 1931, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | ... |
| June 27, 1931, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | ... |
| July 5, 1930, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | ... |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from Glasgow in Scotland during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN
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No. 27. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 11th July 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 909 living children, the deaths of 570 persons, and 438 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 546. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·2 in Coatbridge and 13·9 in Greenock, to 4·8 in Kirkcaldy and 7·5 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (13·7), in Perth (13·5), in Dundee (13·1), in Falkirk (12·8), in Hamilton (12·4), and in Clydebank (12·2). In Glasgow the rate was 11·4, in Edinburgh 11·5, and in Aberdeen 10·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 26, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 8 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 12 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and none from other epidemic diseases. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 6 more, from whooping-cough 5 more, from diphtheria 1 more, and from influenza 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 59, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 75, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 212. The former are 19 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 5 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 58°·3, being 1°·5 above that for the previous week, and 0°·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·34 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 11, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 407 | 190 | 255 | 31 | 14 | 238 | 11·4 | 0·9 | 38 | 86 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 25 | 2 | 12 | 68·6 | 50·5 | 58·8 | 1·55 | 21·1 | (29) 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 128 | 95 | 103 | 11 | 5 | 97 | 11·5 | 0·1 | 5 | 44 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 9 | 71·0 | 49·0 | 57·1 | 1·90 | 19·7 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 72 | 21 | 43 | 2 | 3 | 44 | 13·1 | 0·0 | 7 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 69·0 | 48·6 | 56·4 | 1·63 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 63 | 33 | 38 | 5 | 2 | 35 | 10·9 | 0·3 | 6 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 64·0 | 48·0 | 55·9 | 0·55 | 21·8 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 37 | 20 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 10·3 | 0·6 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 72·3 | 52·3 | 60·2 | 1·73 | 20·5 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 31 | 19 | 23 | 2 | 0 | 21 | 13·9 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 68·8 | 51·3 | 59·3 | 0·91 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 22 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 7 | 17 | 13·7 | 0·0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 24 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 12·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 18 | 4 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 18·2 | 1·2 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 12 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 7·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 15 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 4·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 19 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 12·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 14 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 10·9 | 2·7 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 11 | 4 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 9·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 14 | 5 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 12·8 | 1·4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 22 | 12 | 12 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 13·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 79·0 | 49·0 | 60·1 | 1·10 | 20·8 | 16. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 909 | 438 | 570 | 69 | 45 | 546 | 11·6 | 0·6 | 75 | 212 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 59 | 2 | 27 | 79·0 | 48·0 | 58·3 | 1·34 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| { July 11, 1931, July 4, 1931, { { July 12, 1930, | 2,453,319 | 951 | 660 | 578 | 73 | 34 | 539 | 11·5 | 0·4 | 56 | 217 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 63 | 7 | 27 | 69·7 | 45·0 | 56·8 | 0·42 | ... | |
| | 2,425,800 | 996 | 456 | 559 | 69 | 47 | 537 | 11·5 | 0·5 | 42 | 210 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | - | 68 | 5 | 33 | 75·0 | 44·0 | 57·4 | 0·04 | ... | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN
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No. 28. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th July 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 947 living children, the deaths of 522 persons, and 687 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 484. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 14·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 5·3 more than in the previous week, and 2·5 above the average. The death-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·6 in Kirkcaldy and 12·3 in Kilmarnock, to 5·6 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 6·1 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (11·9), in Aberdeen (11·5), in Ayr (11·3), in Edinburgh (10·7), in Dundee (10·7), and in Perth (10·5). In Glasgow the rate was 10·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 33, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 10 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, none from influenza, 6 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 4 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 more, from other epidemic diseases 3 more, from measles 2 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from whooping-cough are 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 47, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 59, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 163. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 49 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 58°·3, being the same as that for the previous week, but 0·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·60 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|-------|-----------------------|--------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 407 | 313 | 220 | 26 | 20 | 214 | 10.3 | 1.1 | 32 | 64 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 23 | 8 | 5 | 68.3 | 51.3 | 58.8 | 0.49 | 27.1 | 1. | } | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 156 | 188 | 108 | 21 | 3 | 90 | 10.7 | 0.1 | 9 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 66.0 | 51.0 | 58.3 | 0.50 | 28.8 | 2. | | 16 |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 81 | 24 | 39 | 4 | 1 | 36 | 10.7 | 0.3 | 4 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 69.7 | 49.7 | 57.4 | 0.69 | ... | 3. | | Towns. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 73 | 48 | 42 | 11 | 6 | 37 | 11.5 | 0.3 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 64.0 | 49.0 | 56.6 | 0.67 | 15.4 | 4. | | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 32 | 15 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 8.4 | 1.2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 68.9 | 50.2 | 59.4 | 0.57 | 27.2 | 5. | | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 40 | 7 | 17 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 9.9 | 1.3 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 66.3 | 51.4 | 58.8 | 0.81 | ... | 6. | | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 30 | 17 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 5.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 19 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 8.9 | 1.1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 25 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 6.1 | 1.2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 12 | 5 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 11.9 | 1.5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 10 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 14 | 16.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 13 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 11 | 14 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 11.3 | 1.4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 19 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 13 | 4 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 10.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 70.0 | 49.0 | 58.7 | 0.50 | 29.7 | 16. | | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,453,319 | 947 | 687 | 522 | 79 | 41 | 484 | 10.3 | 0.7 | 59 | 163 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 47 | 10 | 23 | 70.0 | 49.0 | 58.3 | 0.60 | ... | Total | 16 | ... |
| | 2,453,319 | 909 | 438 | 570 | 59 | 45 | 546 | 11.6 | 0.6 | 75 | 212 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 59 | 2 | 27 | 79.0 | 48.0 | 58.3 | 1.34 | ... | 16 | ... | ... |
| | 2,425,800 | 887 | 681 | 511 | 64 | 41 | 488 | 10.5 | 0.3 | 50 | 183 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 2 | - | 60 | 4 | 23 | 70.0 | 43.0 | 58.2 | 1.17 | ... | 16 | ... | ... |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 29. **Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 25, 1931.** **Price 2d. net.**

During the week ending 25th July 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 1002 living children, the deaths of 571 persons, and 808 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 529. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 17·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·2 more than in the previous week, and 1·4 above the average. The marriage-rate is 2·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·0 in Perth and 15·0 in Kilmarnock, to 7·3 in Coatbridge and 8·3 in Kirkcaldy and in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Clydebank (13·3), in Motherwell and Wishaw (12·9), in Dunfermline (11·9), in Glasgow (11·8), and in Ayr (11·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·3, in Dundee 10·7 and in Aberdeen 10·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 11 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were from erysipelas and 1 from dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, from influenza 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from diphtheria number the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 3 fewer, and from whooping-cough 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 45, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 59, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 196. The former are the same as in the previous week, but the latter are 33 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·4, being 0°·9 below that for the previous week, but 1°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·73 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 25, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 491 | 440 | 255 | 27 | 18 | 246 | 11·8 | 1·1 | 30 | 79 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 22 | 6 | 13 | 67·8 | 47·3 | 57·5 | 0·54 | 22·5 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 136 | 92 | 105 | 22 | 4 | 87 | 10·3 | 0·1 | 6 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 68·0 | 47·0 | 57·4 | 0·50 | 20·4 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 59 | 60 | 88 | 2 | 0 | 36 | 10·7 | 0·6 | 3 | 23 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 66·3 | 45·7 | 56·8 | 1·00 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 55 | 56 | 41 | 7 | 0 | 34 | 10·6 | 0·3 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 73·0 | 46·0 | 56·8 | 0·46 | 29·6 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 48 | 20 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 9·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 68·4 | 47·2 | 58·4 | 0·59 | 27·2 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 42 | 5 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 17 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 65·3 | 48·0 | 57·1 | 1·09 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 20 | 17 | 13 | 0 | 3 | 16 | 12·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 22 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 13·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 23 | 20 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 10 | 18 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 11·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 14 | 27 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 8·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 16 | 16 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 8·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 21 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 15·0 | 1·4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 16 | 8 | 13 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 11·3 | 1·4 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 18 | 9 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 8·6 | 1·4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 11 | 10 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 21·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 70·0 | 45·0 | 57·9 | 0·93 | 21·4 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 1002 | 808 | 571 | 74 | 32 | 529 | 11·2 | 0·6 | 59 | 196 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 45 | 10 | 24 | 73·0 | 45·0 | 57·4 | 0·73 | ... | ... | ... |
| July 25, 1931, | 2,453,319 | 947 | 687 | 522 | 79 | 41 | 484 | 10·3 | 0·7 | 59 | 163 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 47 | 10 | 23 | 70·0 | 49·0 | 58·3 | 0·60 | ... | ... | ... |
| July 18, 1931, | 2,425,800 | 893 | 810 | 571 | 86 | 41 | 526 | 11·3 | 0·3 | 45 | 195 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | - | 55 | 8 | 28 | 69·5 | 44·0 | 56·4 | 0·43 | ... | ... | ... |
| July 26, 1930, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from ...

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No. 30. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 1st August 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 925 living children, the deaths of 528 persons, and 381 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 491. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·6 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 9·1 less than in the previous week, and 3·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·5 in Perth and 13·7 in Kilmarnock, to 5·6 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 6·7 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (11·9), in Falkirk (11·4), in Glasgow (10·7), in Dundee (10·7), and in Aberdeen 10·6. In Edinburgh the rate was 10·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 25, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were from lethargic encephalitis and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 1 more, from influenza 1 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from other epidemic diseases number the same, while from measles they are 6 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, and from diphtheria 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 39, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 67, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 167. The former are 8 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 29 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 58°·2, being 0°·8 above that for the previous week, and 0°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·81 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 1, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | No. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------|------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|-------|--------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Temperature. | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Total 16 Towns. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | } | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 428 | 104 | 233 | 27 | 18 | 224 | 10·7 | 0·6 | 34 | 73 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 17 | 4 | 11 | 69·2 | 51·9 | 58·1 | 0·51 | 9·6 | 1. | | Total 16 Towns. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 150 | 76 | 100 | 17 | 1 | 84 | 10·0 | 0·2 | 8 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 5 | 67·0 | 51·0 | 58·1 | 0·64 | 23·2 | 2. | | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 41 | 97 | 40 | 4 | 0 | 36 | 10·7 | 1·8 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 70·0 | 45·5 | 58·5 | 1·40 | ... | 3. | | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 72 | 32 | 38 | 5 | 1 | 34 | 10·6 | 0·6 | 8 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 64·0 | 50·0 | 57·4 | 1·01 | 8·3 | 4. | | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 23 | 28 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 10·3 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 70·2 | 52·3 | 59·0 | 0·39 | 14·7 | 5. | | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 37 | 12 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 68·2 | 52·0 | 57·4 | 0·55 | ... | 6. | | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 33 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 5·6 | 0·8 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 17 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 6·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 33 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 14 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 10·4 | 1·5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 9 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 11·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 24 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 6·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 15 | 12 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 13·7 | 1·4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | | |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 9·9 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 12 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 11·4 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | | |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 7 | 4 | 20 | 5 | 0 | 15 | 22·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 70·0 | 51·0 | 59·2 | 1·20 | 18·1 | 16. | | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Aug. 1, 1931, July 25, 1931, Aug. 2, 1930, | 2,453,319 | 925 | 381 | 528 | 68 | 31 | 491 | 10·4 | 0·5 | 67 | 167 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 39 | 7 | 25 | 70·2 | 45·5 | 58·2 | 0·81 | ... | ... | ... | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 31. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 8th August 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 917 living children, the deaths of 555 persons, and 414 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 502. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·6 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·4 in Kilmarnock and 13·4 in Aberdeen, to 5·9 in Kirkcaldy and 7·1 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (12·0), in Motherwell and Wishaw (11·3), in Ayr (11·3), in Glasgow (11·1), and in Coatbridge (10·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 9·7, and in Dundee 10·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 24, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 6 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more and from measles 1 more, but those from whooping-cough and cerebro-spinal fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 2 fewer, from other epidemic diseases 2 fewer, and from influenza 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 31, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 45, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 186. The former are 22 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 19 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 58°·0, being 0·2 below that for the previous week, but 0·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·18 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 8, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | Minimum. | Mean. | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 438 | 160 | 256 | 38 | 13 | 231 | 11.1 | 0.5 | 18 | 85 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 19 | 5 | 20 | 71.3 | 50.7 | 59.9 | 0.03 | 57.4 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 143 | 91 | 97 | 21 | 6 | 82 | 9.7 | 0.5 | 2 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 72.0 | 49.0 | 55.4 | 0.56 | 19.6 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 65 | 14 | 36 | 1 | 1 | 36 | 10.7 | 0.9 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 68.2 | 45.3 | 56.1 | 0.42 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 54 | 34 | 46 | 4 | 1 | 43 | 13.4 | 0.9 | 6 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 65.0 | 46.0 | 54.1 | 0.04 | 21.5 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 28 | 29 | 13 | 1 | 3 | 15 | 9.0 | 0.6 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 74.1 | 50.2 | 60.8 | 0.01 | 58.7 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 35 | 12 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 7.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 73.0 | 50.0 | 60.1 | 0.01 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 25 | 4 | 15 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 18 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 10.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 23 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 10.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 13 | 10 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 10.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 17 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 16 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 14 | 17 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 16.4 | 1.4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 7 | 12 | 16 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 13 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 7.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 12.0 | 1.5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 77.0 | 45.0 | 59.9 | 0.17 | 53.1 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Aug. 8, 1931, Aug. 1, 1931, Aug. 9, 1930, | 2,453,319 | 917 | 414 | 555 | 91 | 38 | 502 | 10.7 | 0.5 | 45 | 186 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 31 | 8 | 27 | 77.0 | 45.0 | 58.0 | 0.18 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,453,319 | 925 | 381 | 528 | 68 | 31 | 491 | 10.4 | 0.5 | 67 | 167 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 39 | 7 | 25 | 70.2 | 45.5 | 58.2 | 0.81 | ... | | ... |
| | 2,425,800 | 1008 | 407 | 561 | 83 | 56 | 534 | 11.5 | 0.3 | 65 | 195 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | - | 57 | 10 | 41 | 70.6 | 40.0 | 57.6 | 0.46 | ... | | ... |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 32. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 15th August 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 889 living children, the deaths of 502 persons, and 269 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 470. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 1·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·1 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·5 in Perth and 12·8 in Ayr and in Falkirk, to 4·4 in Clydebank and 5·5 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (12·3), in Dundee (11·6), in Paisley (11·5), in Motherwell and Wishaw (11·3), and in Dunfermline (10·4). In Glasgow the rate was 9·8, in Edinburgh 9·7, and in Aberdeen 9·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 14, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 5 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 1 more, but those from measles and from diphtheria each number the same, while from other epidemic diseases they are 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 47, and equalled an annual death rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 49, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 198. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 12 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·9, being 3°·1 below that for the previous week, and 2°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·38 inch.

NOTE. — The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 15, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | | | | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 425 | 131 | 222 | 28 | 10 | 204 | 9.8 | 0.4 | 27 | 76 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 5 | 13 | 66.9 | 42.9 | 55.9 | 0.54 | 27.9 | 1. | .. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 116 | 62 | 87 | 14 | 9 | 82 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 4 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 8 | 67.0 | 42.0 | 54.0 | 0.60 | 21.9 | 2. | .. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 70 | 13 | 38 | 2 | 3 | 39 | 11.6 | 0.3 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 67.0 | 43.8 | 54.6 | 0.19 | ... | 3. | .. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 57 | 15 | 38 | 7 | 0 | 31 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 3 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 62.0 | 45.0 | 53.3 | 0.14 | 29.4 | 4. | .. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 33 | 5 | 20 | 2 | 1 | 19 | 11.5 | 0.6 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 71.6 | 41.0 | 56.9 | 0.44 | 23.2 | 5. | .. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 33 | 7 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 9.2 | 0.0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 66.1 | 43.8 | 55.2 | 0.55 | ... | 6. | .. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 21 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 11.3 | 1.6 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | .. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 19 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 4.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | .. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 19 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 8.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | .. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 10 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 10.4 | 0.0 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | .. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 15 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | .. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 17 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 5.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | .. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 12 | 2 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | .. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 12.8 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | .. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 16 | 3 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 9 | 12.8 | 1.4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | .. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 16 | 5 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 16.5 | 0.0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 73.0 | 41.0 | 54.6 | 0.23 | 24.9 | 16. | .. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { Aug. 15, 1931, Aug. 8, 1931, Aug. 16, 1930, | 2,453,319 | 889 | 269 | 502 | 67 | 35 | 470 | 10.0 | 0.3 | 49 | 198 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 47 | 8 | 29 | 73.0 | 41.0 | 54.9 | 0.38 | .. | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,453,319 | 917 | 414 | 555 | 91 | 38 | 502 | 10.7 | 0.5 | 45 | 186 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 31 | 8 | 27 | 77.0 | 45.0 | 58.0 | 0.18 | .. | .. | .. |
| | 2,425,800 | 962 | 264 | 492 | 73 | 31 | 450 | 9.7 | 0.3 | 55 | 172 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 48 | 5 | 25 | 69.0 | 46.0 | 57.8 | 0.63 | .. | .. | .. |

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No 33. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 22nd August 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 859 living children, the deaths of 532 persons, and 307 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 504. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·4 in Dunfermline and 15·7 in Coatbridge, to 4·1 in Kilmarnock and 5·6 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (15·2), in Aberdeen (13·1), in Glasgow (11·6), in Dundee (11·6), and in Paisley (11·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 8·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 18, and are 4 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 4 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, and from typhoid fever 1 more, but those from whooping-cough number the same, while from influenza they are 1 fewer, and from measles 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 44, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 62, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 181. The former are 13 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 17 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·9, being 1°·0 above that for the previous week, but 1°·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2·17 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|---|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | (29) 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. | Total 16 Towns. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | | | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 390 | 136 | 263 | 32 | 12 | 243 | 11·6 | 0·5 | 32 | 79 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 22 | 4 | 13 | 66·3 | 48·1 | 56·8 | 1·55 | 18·3 | | | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 116 | 73 | 76 | 11 | 7 | 72 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 3 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 64·0 | 45·0 | 54·5 | 4·38 | 13·1 | | | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 64 | 15 | 41 | 2 | 0 | 39 | 11·6 | 0·6 | 8 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 64·4 | 39·7 | 54·9 | 2·72 | ... | | | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 67 | 29 | 45 | 6 | 3 | 42 | 13·1 | 0·3 | 2 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 60·0 | 43·0 | 54·6 | 1·60 | 9·1 | | | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 41 | 4 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 11·5 | 0·0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 67·7 | 48·2 | 57·9 | 1·70 | 24·8 | | | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 31 | 7 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 7·9 | 0·7 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 67·2 | 48·4 | 56·9 | 1·31 | ... | | | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 32 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 5·6 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 20 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 7·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 17 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 15·7 | 1·2 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 14 | 8 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 16·4 | 1·5 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 15 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 7·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 13 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 15·2 | 1·4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 12 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 5 | 2 | 13 | 7 | 1 | 7 | 9·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 8·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | | |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 13 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 9·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 65·0 | 38·0 | 55·7 | 1·96 | 15·1 | | | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 859 | 307 | 532 | 64 | 36 | 504 | 10·7 | 0·4 | 62 | 181 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 44 | 9 | 21 | 67·7 | 38·0 | 55·9 | 2·17 | ... | | | |
| (Aug. 22, 1931, Aug. 15, 1931, Aug. 23, 1930, | 2,453,319 | 889 | 269 | 502 | 67 | 35 | 470 | 10·0 | 0·3 | 49 | 198 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 47 | 8 | 29 | 73·0 | 41·0 | 54·9 | 0·38 | ... | | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 932 | 324 | 555 | 79 | 42 | 518 | 11·1 | 0·5 | 74 | 187 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 62 | 11 | 28 | 70·5 | 47·9 | 57·0 | 2·35 | ... | | | |

Notes: Death Numbers (percent those in Col 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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No. 34. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 29th August 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 878 living children, the deaths of 551 persons, and 307 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 519. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·6 in Kirkcaldy and 14·2 in Ayr, to 3·0 in Dunfermline and 7·1 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (12·6), in Aberdeen (12·5), in Hamilton (12·4) and in Perth (12·0).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 18, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 5 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, none from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, from measles 1 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from other epidemic diseases numbered the same, while from diphtheria they are 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 50, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 51, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 201. The former are 11 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 20 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 53°·8, being 2°·1 below that for the previous week, and 7°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·03 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 29, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 435 | 141 | 236 | 25 | 12 | 223 | 10.7 | 0.7 | 18 | 76 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 26 | 1 | 7 | 65.9 | 41.2 | 54.6 | 0.01 | 32.0 | (29) |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 113 | 67 | 112 | 16 | 10 | 106 | 12.6 | 0.1 | 10 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 8 | 65.0 | 40.0 | 53.6 | 0.04 | 34.5 | 1. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 68 | 19 | 40 | 5 | 1 | 36 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 5 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 63.6 | 40.0 | 53.1 | 0.06 | .. | 2. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 59 | 28 | 44 | 6 | 2 | 40 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 5 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 66.0 | 40.0 | 51.7 | 0.08 | 53.9 | 3. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 36 | 0 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 67.4 | 41.4 | 55.0 | 0.00 | 35.1 | 4. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 27 | 9 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 10.6 | 0.0 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 65.3 | 42.8 | 55.4 | 0.01 | .. | 5. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 20 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 10.5 | 0.8 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 10.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 23 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 15 | 5 | 15 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 16.6 | 1.2 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 14 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 12 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 9.6 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 13 | 4 | 15 | 7 | 2 | 10 | 14.2 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 10 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7.1 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 11 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 68.0 | 34.0 | 53.4 | 0.02 | 39.0 | 15. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,453,319 | 878 | 307 | 551 | 66 | 34 | 519 | 11.0 | 0.4 | 51 | 201 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 50 | 4 | 23 | 68.0 | 34.0 | 53.8 | 0.03 | .. | Total 16 Towns. |
| Aug. 29, 1931, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | .. | |
| Aug. 22, 1931, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | .. | |
| Aug. 30, 1930, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | .. | |

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 35. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 5th September 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 855 living children, the deaths of 537 persons, and 432 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 508. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·7 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·5 in Coatbridge and 13·2 in Greenock, to 4·5 in Dunfermline and 5·7 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (13·1), in Kirkcaldy (13·1), in Glasgow (11·3), in Clydebank (11·0) and in Edinburgh (10·9). In Dundee the rate was 9·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 19, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 2 more, from diphtheria 2 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from influenza 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever and from other epidemic diseases each number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 54, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 65, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 205. The former are 14 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 4 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 52°·1, being 1°·7 below that for the previous week, and 4°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·56 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 5, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------------------|------|-------|---------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 389 | 213 | 246 | 25 | 15 | 236 | 11·3 | 0·5 | 37 | 89 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 22 | 7 | 13 | 65·9 | 40·1 | 52·9 | 0·40 | 31·0 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 121 | 91 | 101 | 11 | 2 | 92 | 10·9 | 0·1 | 6 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 60·0 | 44·0 | 51·0 | 1·17 | 33·5 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 51 | 26 | 35 | 5 | 1 | 31 | 9·2 | 0·3 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 59·0 | 40·4 | 51·0 | 0·37 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 61 | 32 | 49 | 11 | 4 | 42 | 13·1 | 0·6 | 6 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 57·0 | 42·0 | 50·4 | 0·35 | 25·2 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 41 | 6 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 6·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 65·8 | 41·3 | 53·6 | 0·43 | 31·9 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 30 | 6 | 20 | 2 | 2 | 20 | 13·2 | 0·7 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 65·0 | 45·0 | 53·7 | 0·51 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 19 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 8·1 | 0·0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 14 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 11·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 19 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 12 | 14·5 | 1·2 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 13 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 4·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 20 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 13·1 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 20 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 8·3 | 1·4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 13 | 6 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 9·6 | 1·4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 21 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 12 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5·7 | 0·0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 11 | 4 | 11 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 10·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 66·0 | 41·0 | 51·9 | 0·69 | 36·3 | 16. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { | 2,453,319 | 855 | 432 | 537 | 71 | 42 | 508 | 10·8 | 0·4 | 65 | 205 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 54 | 9 | 28 | 66·0 | 40·1 | 52·1 | 0·56 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| Sept. 5, 1931, { | 2,453,319 | 878 | 307 | 551 | 66 | 34 | 519 | 11·0 | 0·4 | 51 | 201 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 50 | 4 | 23 | 68·0 | 34·0 | 53·8 | 0·03 | ... | 16 Towns. |
| Aug. 29, 1931, { | 2,425,800 | 856 | 489 | 493 | 70 | 26 | 449 | 9·7 | 0·4 | 59 | 168 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 7 | - | 47 | 10 | 23 | 72·0 | 43·2 | 57·0 | 0·48 | ... | week ending, { |
| Sept. 6, 1930, { | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 36. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 12th September 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 868 living children, the deaths of 538 persons, and 401 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 502. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·4 in Dunfermline and 13·2 in Greenock, to 7·5 in Perth and 7·8 in Paisley. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (12·8), in Falkirk (12·8), in Clydebank (12·2), in Motherwell and Wishaw (12·1), and in Glasgow (11·2). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·2, in Dundee 8·9, and in Aberdeen 9·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 22, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 7 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 2 more, from influenza 2 more, and from whooping-cough 1 more, but those from measles, scarlet fever and cerebro-spinal fever number the same, while from other epidemic diseases they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 54, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 58, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 176. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 29 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·8, being 3°·3 below that for the previous week, and 7°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·28 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 12, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--------------------------|------|-------|-----------------------|------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | (28) |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 405 | 188 | 263 | 44 | 14 | 233 | 11.2 | 0.9 | 32 | 75 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 28 | 7 | 11 | 57.9 | 38.4 | 49.4 | 0.21 | 32.9 | 1. | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 113 | 82 | 93 | 15 | 8 | 86 | 10.2 | 0.2 | 6 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 60.0 | 38.0 | 48.8 | 0.64 | 41.1 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,533 | 67 | 19 | 29 | 2 | 3 | 30 | 8.9 | 0.0 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 61.4 | 37.2 | 48.9 | 0.23 | ... | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 74 | 38 | 35 | 6 | 2 | 31 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 58.0 | 34.0 | 47.1 | 0.16 | 41.2 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 24 | 6 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 7.8 | 0.6 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 62.3 | 36.2 | 49.9 | 0.17 | 40.4 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 24 | 8 | 18 | 0 | 2 | 20 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 34 | 9 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 12.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 13 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 12.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 24 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 8.5 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 18 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 16.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 12 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 9.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 9.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 9.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 18 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 12.8 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 13 | 13 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 12.8 | 0.0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 7.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 61.0 | 31.0 | 48.6 | 0.25 | 49.7 | 16. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,453,319 | 868 | 401 | 538 | 83 | 47 | 502 | 10.7 | 0.5 | 58 | 176 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 54 | 7 | 28 | 62.3 | 31.0 | 48.8 | 0.28 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,453,319 | 855 | 432 | 537 | 71 | 42 | 508 | 10.8 | 0.4 | 65 | 205 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 54 | 9 | 28 | 66.0 | 40.1 | 52.1 | 0.56 | ... | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 884 | 422 | 544 | 81 | 35 | 498 | 10.7 | 0.5 | 64 | 169 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | - | 45 | 15 | 31 | 68.0 | 44.6 | 56.2 | 0.88 | ... | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

WEEKLY RETURN
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Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 37. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 19th September 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 915 living children, the deaths of 592 persons, and 401 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 545. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 13·7 in Kilmarnock and 13·4 in Dunfermline, to 2·8 in Ayr and 8·3 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (12·5), in Aberdeen (12·5), and in Glasgow (12·0). In Dundee the rate was 11·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 23, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include 4 from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 8 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 5 more, from typhoid fever 4 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from whooping-cough and from other epidemic diseases each number the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 1 fewer, from measles 4 fewer, and from diphtheria 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 52, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 53, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 210. The former are 5 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 34 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·7, being 6°·9 above that for the previous week, and 3°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·40 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 19, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | | | | Total 16 Towns. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 417 | 135 | 269 | 30 | 12 | 251 | 12.0 | 0.7 | 30 | 87 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 33 | 6 | 13 | 63.3 | 38.3 | 55.4 | 0.49 | 11.3 | 1. | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 152 | 85 | 119 | 17 | 3 | 105 | 12.5 | 0.1 | 8 | 51 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 65.0 | 38.0 | 55.4 | 0.16 | 22.3 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 68 | 19 | 43 | 5 | 1 | 39 | 11.6 | 0.6 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 69.9 | 34.4 | 56.3 | 0.40 | ... | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 59 | 36 | 46 | 6 | 0 | 40 | 12.5 | 0.6 | 4 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 68.0 | 38.0 | 55.8 | 0.28 | 29.1 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 33 | 8 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 64.8 | 38.1 | 56.0 | 0.58 | 13.5 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 36 | 8 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 10.6 | 0.0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 64.6 | 41.0 | 56.1 | 0.61 | ... | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 26 | 7 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 9.7 | 0.8 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 18 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 11.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 21 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10.9 | 1.2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 13.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 10 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 9.5 | 1.2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 17 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 14 | 6 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 13.7 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2.8 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 13 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 10.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 12 | 9 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 70.0 | 29.0 | 55.0 | 0.29 | 35.0 | 16. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,453,319 | 915 | 401 | 592 | 72 | 25 | 545 | 11.6 | 0.5 | 53 | 210 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 52 | 10 | 27 | 70.0 | 29.0 | 55.7 | 0.40 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,453,319 | 868 | 401 | 538 | 83 | 47 | 502 | 10.7 | 0.5 | 58 | 176 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 54 | 7 | 28 | 62.3 | 31.0 | 48.8 | 0.28 | ... | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 881 | 379 | 554 | 80 | 31 | 505 | 10.9 | 0.5 | 61 | 186 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 2 | - | 56 | 11 | 40 | 65.7 | 33.0 | 52.3 | 2.37 | ... | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

WEEKLY RETURN
OF
Births, Deaths, and Marriages
IN THE
Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 38. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 26th September 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 965 living children, the deaths of 568 persons, and 491 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 518. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 more than in the previous week, and 1·0 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 0·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 28·4 in Ayr and 18·0 in Perth, to 6·0 in Dunfermline and 6·9 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (12·5), in Paisley (12·1), in Motherwell and Wishaw (11·3) and in Clydebank (11·1). In Glasgow the rate was 11·0, in Edinburgh 10·1, in Dundee 11·0 and in Aberdeen 10·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 23, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 10 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 7 more, from diphtheria 1 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from whooping-cough and from other epidemic diseases each number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 1 fewer, and from influenza 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 57, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 66, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 206. The former are 13 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 4 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 17, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 51°·8, being 3°·9 below that for the previous week, and 2°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·00 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 26, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | Total 16 Towns. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 474 | 214 | 253 | 34 | 10 | 229 | 11·0 | 0·9 | 37 | 82 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 25 | 10 | 8 | 63·7 | 40·4 | 52·0 | 0·00 | 24·9 | 1. | |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 126 | 100 | 103 | 23 | 5 | 85 | 10·1 | 0·0 | 7 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 62·0 | 41·0 | 51·8 | .. | 27·9 | 2. | |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 61 | 47 | 41 | 4 | 0 | 37 | 11·0 | 0·3 | 4 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 64·4 | 38·8 | 51·9 | .. | ... | 3. | |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 52 | 41 | 39 | 8 | 2 | 33 | 10·3 | 0·0 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 63·0 | 40·0 | 51·8 | 0·02 | 20·6 | 4. | |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 22 | 15 | 19 | 1 | 2 | 20 | 12·1 | 0·6 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 65·8 | 39·0 | 52·2 | .. | 30·0 | 5. | |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 36 | 11 | 20 | 1 | 0 | 19 | 12·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 63·4 | 42·2 | 52·0 | .. | ... | 6. | |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 28 | 11 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 11·3 | 0·0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 7. | |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 27 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 11·1 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 8. | |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 20 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 10·9 | 0·0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 9. | |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 14 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 6·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 10. | |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 18 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 8·3 | 1·2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 11. | |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 18 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 6·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 12. | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 12 | 4 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 9·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 13. | |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 20 | 13 | 20 | 3 | 3 | 20 | 28·4 | 1·4 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 14. | |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 18 | 4 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 10·0 | 1·4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | .. | ... | 15. | |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 9 | 4 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 18·0 | 0·0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69·0 | 34·0 | 50·6 | 33·9 | ... | 16. | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,453,319 | 965 | 491 | 568 | 87 | 37 | 518 | 11·0 | 0·5 | 66 | 206 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 57 | 13 | 17 | 69·0 | 34·0 | 51·8 | 0·00 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| Sept. 26, 1931, | 2,453,319 | 915 | 401 | 592 | 72 | 25 | 545 | 11·6 | 0·5 | 53 | 210 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 52 | 10 | 27 | 70·0 | 29·0 | 55·7 | 0·40 | ... | 16 | |
| Sept. 19, 1931, | 2,425,800 | 928 | 448 | 584 | 74 | 31 | 541 | 11·6 | 0·7 | 62 | 197 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 6 | 2 | - | 63 | 18 | 32 | 69·0 | 40·0 | 54·5 | 0·70 | ... | Towns. | |
| Sept. 27, 1930, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 39. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 3rd October 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 857 living children, the deaths of 567 persons, and 549 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 526. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, and 1·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·3 in Falkirk and 13·9 in Paisley, to 3·6 in Kirkealdy and 6·7 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (13·5), in Dunfermline (13·4), in Glasgow (12·3), in Dundee (12·2) and in Aberdeen (11·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 9·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 25, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 11 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 7 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 3 more, from measles 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from diphtheria number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 1 fewer, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 60, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 68, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 218. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 12 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 11 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 53°·8, being 2°·0 above that for the previous week, and 4°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·69 inch.

NOTE. — The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 3, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|--------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 344 | 280 | 273 | 31 | 15 | 257 | 12·3 | 0·8 | 40 | 89 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 37 | 10 | 12 | 59·9 | 46·3 | 53·5 | 0·53 | 7·4 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 135 | 104 | 92 | 14 | 4 | 82 | 9·7 | 0·5 | 7 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 62·0 | 47·0 | 53·6 | 0·25 | 14·5 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 67 | 37 | 43 | 3 | 1 | 41 | 12·2 | 0·0 | 3 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 61·0 | 44·4 | 53·8 | 0·41 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 75 | 36 | 40 | 4 | 1 | 37 | 11·5 | 0·3 | 2 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 60·0 | 44·0 | 54·4 | 0·37 | 18·5 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 43 | 12 | 26 | 3 | 0 | 23 | 13·9 | 1·2 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 60·7 | 46·6 | 53·8 | 0·59 | 8·8 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 37 | 13 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 9·9 | 0·7 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 60·0 | 46·8 | 53·8 | 2·31 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 22 | 9 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 8·1 | 0·0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 16 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 6·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 21 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 10·9 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 14 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 13·4 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3·6 | 0·0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 21 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 6·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 9 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 6·8 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 21 | 5 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 7·1 | 0·0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 14 | 8 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 14·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 10 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 13·5 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 61·0 | 45·0 | 53·4 | 0·36 | 9·8 | 16. |
| Total. | 2,453,319 | 857 | 549 | 567 | 69 | 28 | 526 | 11·2 | 0·5 | 68 | 218 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 60 | 12 | 28 | 62·0 | 44·0 | 53·8 | 0·69 | ... | Total |
| 16 Towns. | 2,453,319 | 965 | 491 | 568 | 87 | 37 | 518 | 11·0 | 0·5 | 66 | 206 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 57 | 13 | 17 | 69·0 | 34·0 | 51·8 | 0·00 | ... | 16 |
| week ending. | 2,425,800 | 872 | 566 | 546 | 80 | 39 | 505 | 10·9 | 0·5 | 53 | 177 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | - | 66 | 11 | 27 | 62·0 | 34·0 | 49·7 | 0·46 | ... | Towns. |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 40. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 10th October 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 1001 living children, the deaths of 569 persons, and 346 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 527. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 3·1 more than in the previous week, and 1·3 above the average. The marriage-rate is 4·3 less than in the previous week, and 2·8 below the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·9 in Greenock and 13·9 in Paisley, to 4·5 in Dunfermline and 6·1 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (13·1) and in Glasgow (12·6). In Edinburgh the rate was 9·1, in Dundee 10·4, and in Aberdeen 11·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 2 from typhoid fever, 13 from measles, none from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, 1 to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from other epidemic diseases are 3 more, from typhoid fever 2 more, from measles 2 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more; but those from diphtheria number the same, while from influenza they are 6 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 64, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 66, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 175. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 43 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·4, being 0°·6 above that for the previous week, and 5°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·74 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 10, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|-------|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 492 | 154 | 284 | 31 | 10 | 263 | 12.6 | 1.0 | 39 | 73 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 38 | 8 | 14 | 61.7 | 46.0 | 54.4 | 1.02 | 10.8 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 147 | 64 | 82 | 15 | 10 | 77 | 9.1 | 0.1 | 6 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 64.0 | 45.0 | 54.2 | 0.46 | 31.1 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 68 | 19 | 38 | 4 | 1 | 35 | 10.4 | 0.0 | 4 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 66.7 | 44.6 | 54.4 | 0.17 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 57 | 31 | 46 | 11 | 1 | 36 | 11.2 | 0.3 | 3 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 70.0 | 42.0 | 54.9 | 0.18 | 27.2 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 29 | 12 | 22 | 0 | 1 | 23 | 13.9 | 1.2 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 61.8 | 46.8 | 54.6 | 1.01 | 14.9 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 30 | 7 | 25 | 2 | 1 | 24 | 15.9 | 0.0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 61.3 | 44.3 | 53.9 | 2.16 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 29 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 9.7 | 0.8 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 13 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 8.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 26 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 6.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 16 | 11 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 13.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 19 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 6.9 | 1.4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 17 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 9.6 | 1.4 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 20 | 9 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 7.1 | 1.4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 14 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8.6 | 1.4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 19 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 10.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 65.0 | 43.0 | 54.4 | 0.19 | 27.6 | 16. |
| Total, 16 Towns. | 2,453,319 | 1001 | 346 | 569 | 76 | 34 | 527 | 11.2 | 0.6 | 66 | 175 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 64 | 11 | 22 | 70.0 | 42.0 | 54.4 | 0.74 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| Oct. 10, 1931, | 2,453,319 | 857 | 549 | 567 | 69 | 28 | 526 | 11.2 | 0.5 | 68 | 218 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 60 | 12 | 28 | 62.0 | 44.0 | 53.8 | 0.69 | ... | Oct. 3, 1931, |
| week ending, | 2,425,800 | 895 | 359 | 589 | 71 | 33 | 551 | 11.8 | 0.3 | 62 | 217 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 2 | - | 88 | 7 | 24 | 61.0 | 35.4 | 48.7 | 1.29 | ... | Oct. 11, 1930, |

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IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 41. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 17th October 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 997 living children, the deaths of 569 persons, and 284 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 543. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·7 above the average. The marriage-rate is 1·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·5 in Falkirk and 15·9 in Greenock, to 1·4 in Hamilton and 2·4 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (15·0), in Dunfermline (13·4), in Glasgow (12·3), in Aberdeen (11·8), and in Dundee (11·6). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 30, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 14 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to dysentery and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 4 more, from diphtheria 2 more, from measles 1 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more; but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 57, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 63, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 209. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 34 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 50°·2, being 4°·2 below that for the previous week, and 3°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·11 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|-----------------------|------|------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | | | | Minimum. | Mean. | (29) | (28) |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | } | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 460 | 151 | 267 | 27 | 17 | 257 | 12.3 | 1.1 | 34 | 85 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 31 | 5 | 15 | 55.8 | 36.7 | 49.6 | 0.11 | 15.8 | 1. | | 34 |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 141 | 43 | 95 | 9 | 8 | 94 | 11.2 | 0.2 | 5 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 7 | 58.0 | 41.0 | 50.5 | 0.02 | 29.4 | 2. | | 22 |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 62 | 11 | 41 | 3 | 1 | 39 | 11.6 | 0.0 | 2 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 59.7 | 36.7 | 50.2 | 0.03 | ... | 3. | | 11 |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 71 | 29 | 42 | 7 | 3 | 38 | 11.8 | 0.0 | 5 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 59.0 | 39.0 | 50.3 | 0.12 | 20.6 | 4. | | 19 |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 39 | 5 | 20 | 4 | 0 | 16 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 57.4 | 35.2 | 50.4 | 0.12 | 19.3 | 5. | | 66 |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 43 | 5 | 23 | 1 | 2 | 24 | 15.9 | 1.3 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 56.3 | 41.7 | 50.7 | 0.32 | ... | 6. | | 66 |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 24 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 8.1 | 0.8 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | | 66 |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 25 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 10.0 | 1.1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | | 66 |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 22 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 9.7 | 0.0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | | 66 |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 14 | 2 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 13.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | | 66 |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 17 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | | 66 |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 19 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | | 66 |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 19 | 2 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 15.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | | 66 |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 13 | 6 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 8.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | | 66 |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 14 | 3 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 18.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | | 66 |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 14 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 61.0 | 31.0 | 49.5 | 0.04 | 28.8 | 16. | 66 | |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending. | 2,453,319 | 997 | 284 | 569 | 66 | 40 | 543 | 11.5 | 0.6 | 63 | 209 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 57 | 7 | 34 | 61.0 | 31.0 | 50.2 | 0.11 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | | |
| | 2,453,319 | 1001 | 346 | 569 | 76 | 34 | 527 | 11.2 | 0.6 | 66 | 175 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 64 | 11 | 22 | 70.0 | 42.0 | 54.4 | 0.74 | ... | | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 932 | 286 | 553 | 73 | 43 | 523 | 11.2 | 0.4 | 66 | 212 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | - | 76 | 11 | 32 | 63.0 | 40.0 | 53.2 | 1.80 | ... | | | |

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IN THE

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No. 42. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 24th October 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 861 living children, the deaths of 578 persons, and 295 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 530. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·9 less than in the previous week, and 2·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and 0·4 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·6 in Ayr and 13·9 in Paisley, to 5·7 in Falkirk and 6·0 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (13·2), in Glasgow (12·9), in Motherwell and Wishaw (12·1), and in Perth (12·0). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·7, in Dundee 6·5 and in Aberdeen 9·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 32, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 18 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more; but those from scarlet fever and from whooping-cough each number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, from influenza 1 fewer, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 55, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 57, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 201. The former are 6 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 8 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°·3, being 6°·9 below that for the previous week, and 3°·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·31 inch.

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| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | | | | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 400 | 136 | 296 | 35 | 8 | 269 | 12.9 | 1.2 | 40 | 82 | 0 | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 36 | 10 | 18 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1. | .. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 130 | 65 | 101 | 11 | 0 | 90 | 10.7 | 0.0 | 1 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 54.0 | 32.0 | 42.6 | 0.22 | 32.1 | 2. | .. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 53 | 17 | 24 | 3 | 1 | 22 | 6.5 | 0.6 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 54.0 | 31.8 | 42.5 | 0.38 | .. | 3 | .. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 65 | 28 | 37 | 9 | 1 | 29 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 57.0 | 35.0 | 43.3 | 0.62 | 18.7 | 4. | .. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 34 | 5 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 13.9 | 0.0 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 53.4 | 29.3 | 44.0 | 0.31 | 27.7 | 5. | .. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 27 | 3 | 19 | 2 | 3 | 20 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 52.7 | 33.4 | 44.3 | 0.25 | .. | 6. | .. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 31 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 12.1 | 0.0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7. | .. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 22 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 7.8 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8. | .. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 17 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 8.5 | 1.2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9. | .. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 18 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 6.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10. | .. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 16 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11. | .. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 18 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 9.6 | 1.4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12. | .. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 11 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 10.9 | 1.4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13. | .. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 8 | 9 | 16 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 15.6 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14. | .. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 5.7 | 1.4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15. | .. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 6 | 5 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 12.0 | 1.5 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 59.0 | 25.0 | 42.8 | 0.07 | 25.4 | 16. | .. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 861 | 295 | 578 | 72 | 24 | 530 | 11.3 | 0.7 | 57 | 201 | 0 | 18 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 55 | 14 | 26 | 59.0 | 25.0 | 43.3 | 0.31 | .. | Total 16 Towns. | |
| Oct. 24, 1931, | 2,453,319 | 997 | 284 | 569 | 66 | 40 | 543 | 11.5 | 0.6 | 63 | 209 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 57 | 7 | 34 | 61.0 | 31.0 | 50.2 | 0.11 | .. | Oct. 17, 1931, | |
| Oct. 25, 1930, | 2,425,800 | 1005 | 293 | 600 | 74 | 45 | 571 | 12.3 | 0.5 | 77 | 207 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 9 | 2 | 1 | - | 79 | 5 | 27 | 56.1 | 34.0 | 46.9 | 0.74 | .. | Oct. 25, 1930, | |

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 43. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 31st October 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 869 living children, the deaths of 633 persons, and 284 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 590. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·0 in Perth and 16·6 in Clydebank, to 6·0 in Paisley and 10·0 in Aberdeen and in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (16·5), in Kirkcaldy (15·5), in Glasgow (14·1), and in Ayr (12·8). In Edinburgh the rate was 10·9 and in Dundee 10·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 35, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 21 from measles (all of which occurred in Glasgow), 3 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 3 more, and from scarlet fever 2 more, but those from diphtheria, from influenza, and from cerebro-spinal fever each number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 64, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 81, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 213. The former are 24 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 12 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·9, being 2°·4 below that for the previous week, and 3°·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·78 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--------------|------|----------|--------------------------|------|----------|-------|------|--------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | | Maximum. | | | Minimum. | Mean. | | | |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 421 | 144 | 317 | 32 | 10 | 295 | 14.1 | 1.4 | 52 | 94 | 0 | 21 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 33 | 7 | 14 | 52.0 | 29.6 | 41.7 | 0.96 | 27.7 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 124 | 53 | 100 | 12 | 4 | 92 | 10.9 | 0.0 | 9 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 54.0 | 28.0 | 41.2 | 0.48 | 34.0 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 59 | 10 | 35 | 3 | 2 | 34 | 10.1 | 0.3 | 8 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 50.6 | 28.9 | 39.9 | 0.26 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 55 | 13 | 44 | 12 | 0 | 32 | 10.0 | 0.3 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 52.0 | 26.0 | 39.7 | 0.32 | 22.7 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 26 | 14 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 6.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 53.8 | 27.7 | 42.2 | 1.17 | 29.8 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 20 | 13 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 53.9 | 31.1 | 43.0 | 2.07 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 30 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 18 | 6 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 16.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 18 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 12.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 11 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 15 | 3 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 15.5 | 1.2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 23 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 16.5 | 2.8 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 10.9 | 1.4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 14 | 4 | 11 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 12.8 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 9 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 10.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 17 | 1 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 18.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 53.0 | 24.0 | 38.5 | 0.23 | 30.0 | 16. | ... |
| Total, Oct. 31, 1931, 16 Towns, { week ending. | 2,453,319 | 869 | 284 | 633 | 75 | 32 | 590 | 12.5 | 0.7 | 81 | 213 | 0 | 21 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 64 | 12 | 27 | 54.0 | 24.0 | 40.9 | 0.78 | ... | Total | |
| | 2,453,319 | 861 | 295 | 578 | 72 | 24 | 530 | 11.3 | 0.7 | 57 | 201 | 0 | 18 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 55 | 14 | 26 | 59.0 | 25.0 | 43.2 | 0.29 | ... | 16 | ... |
| | 2,425,800 | 852 | 339 | 598 | 76 | 39 | 561 | 12.1 | 0.5 | 81 | 216 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 2 | - | 76 | 7 | 21 | 57.0 | 27.0 | 44.4 | 0.93 | ... | Towns. | ... |

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 44. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 7th November 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 915 living children, the deaths of 670 persons, and 413 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 627. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average. The marriage-rate is 2·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but is the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 15·0 in Kilmarnock and 14·5 in Glasgow and in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 5·9 in Kirkcaldy and 7·1 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Clydebank (14·4), in Greenock (13·9), and in Edinburgh (13·4). In Dundee the rate was 12·5 and in Aberdeen 11·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 48, and are 13 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 26 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 5 more, from diphtheria 3 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from whooping-cough 1 more, but those from influenza and from other epidemic diseases each numbered the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 84, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 80, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 258. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 45 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49·3, being 8·4 above that for the previous week, and 9·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·29 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 7, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------|-------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 439 | 225 | 322 | 28 | 8 | 302 | 14.5 | 1.8 | 46 | 92 | 0 | 21 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 39 | 11 | 12 | 57.1 | 39.1 | 49.4 | 1.39 | 6.4 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 160 | 65 | 122 | 12 | 3 | 113 | 13.4 | 0.0 | 6 | 68 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 58.0 | 42.0 | 50.1 | 1.03 | 12.7 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 58 | 20 | 48 | 8 | 2 | 42 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 5 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 4 | 56.3 | 37.7 | 48.3 | 0.83 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 54 | 25 | 42 | 6 | 2 | 38 | 11.8 | 0.3 | 5 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 58.0 | 39.0 | 49.9 | 0.48 | 8.2 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 29 | 6 | 19 | 1 | 0 | 18 | 10.9 | 1.2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 56.4 | 39.6 | 50.6 | 1.74 | 7.7 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 31 | 11 | 20 | 1 | 2 | 21 | 13.9 | 0.0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 57.2 | 37.9 | 49.4 | 2.45 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 26 | 8 | 17 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 14.5 | 0.8 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 9 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 4 | 13 | 14.4 | 2.2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 20 | 9 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 12.1 | 2.4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 10 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 18 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12.4 | 1.4 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... | |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 15.0 | 1.4 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 16 | 8 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 17 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7.1 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 10 | 5 | 15 | 9 | 0 | 6 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 58.0 | 33.0 | 47.6 | 1.13 | 7.1 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 915 | 413 | 670 | 72 | 29 | 627 | 13.3 | 1.0 | 80 | 258 | 0 | 26 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 84 | 14 | 28 | 58.0 | 33.0 | 49.3 | 1.29 | ... | ... | ... |
| Nov. 7, 1931. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oct. 31, 1931. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nov. 8, 1930. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

By Authority of the Registrar-General

No. 45. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 14th November 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 870 living children, the deaths of 690 persons, and 265 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 643. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·6 in Coatbridge and 18·0 in Perth, to 8·9 in Clydebank and 9·6 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (15·2), in Glasgow (14·6), in Kirkcaldy (14·3), in Falkirk (14·3) and in Paisley (13·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·5, in Dundee 13·4 and in Aberdeen 11·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 49, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 24 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from other epidemic diseases are 3 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from influenza and from cerebro-spinal fever each number the same, while from measles they are 2 fewer and from diphtheria 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 101, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 89, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 227. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 31 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 45°·4, being 3°·9 below that for the previous week, and 0°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·31 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 14, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine | No. | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | | | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. |
| | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 407 | 120 | 324 | 30 | 10 | 304 | 14.6 | 1.9 | 57 | 86 | 0 | 22 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 49 | 8 | 10 | 51.7 | 40.7 | 45.6 | 1.69 | 5.6 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 143 | 46 | 114 | 13 | 4 | 105 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 6 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 1 | 3 | 50.0 | 39.0 | 45.6 | 1.08 | 11.2 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 66 | 22 | 50 | 6 | 1 | 45 | 13.4 | 0.3 | 6 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 50.2 | 37.3 | 44.5 | 1.14 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 64 | 33 | 46 | 10 | 2 | 38 | 11.8 | 0.0 | 3 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 52.0 | 38.0 | 47.0 | 0.91 | 4.3 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 27 | 5 | 24 | 2 | 1 | 23 | 13.9 | 1.2 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 52.3 | 40.1 | 46.2 | 1.70 | 7.0 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 30 | 4 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 15.2 | 0.7 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 51.2 | 41.9 | 46.2 | 1.57 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 19 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 11.3 | 0.8 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 8.9 | 1.1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 16 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 20.6 | 2.4 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 8 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 18 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 14.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 20 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 9.6 | 0.0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 11 | 4 | 15 | 6 | 0 | 9 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 8 | 3 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 11 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 14.3 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 14 | 5 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 18.0 | 1.5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 53.0 | 31.0 | 42.6 | 1.09 | 8.0 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, { | 2,453,319 | 870 | 265 | 690 | 77 | 30 | 643 | 13.7 | 1.0 | 89 | 227 | 0 | 24 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 101 | 12 | 22 | 53.0 | 31.0 | 45.4 | 1.31 | ... | Total | ... |
| Nov. 14, 1931, { | 2,453,319 | 915 | 413 | 670 | 72 | 29 | 627 | 13.3 | 1.0 | 80 | 258 | 0 | 26 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 84 | 14 | 28 | 58.0 | 33.0 | 49.3 | 1.29 | ... | 16 Towns. | ... |
| Nov. 7, 1931, { | 2,425,800 | 903 | 237 | 667 | 73 | 30 | 624 | 13.4 | 0.4 | 93 | 230 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 3 | - | 115 | 5 | 35 | 63.0 | 34.0 | 46.1 | 0.44 | ... | week ending. | ... |
| Nov. 15, 1930, { | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

BY 44-1. Death Numbers for week ending Nov. 14, 1931, and by the addition of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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OF

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The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, but is the same as the average. The death-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·0 in Dundee and 15·7 in Coatbridge, to 3·0 in Dunfermline and 8·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (14·3) and in Glasgow (14·1). In Edinburgh the rate was 11·0 and in Aberdeen 11·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 57, and are 8 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 33 from measles, of which 31 occurred in Glasgow, 4 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 7 from other epidemic diseases, of which 6 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 9 more, and from other epidemic diseases 2 more, but those from diphtheria, from influenza and from cerebro-spinal fever each number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 1 fewer and from whooping-cough 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 105, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 74, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 218. The former are 15 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 9 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·3, being 3°·1 below that for the previous week, but 4°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·97 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 21, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | No. | | | |
|--------|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|----------|----------|--------------|------|------|---------------------|---------------------------|------|------|------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | | | | | | | | |
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Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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During the week ending 28th November 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 842 living children, the deaths of 663 persons, and 323 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 607. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 more than in the previous week, and 1·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·4 in Ayr and 16·9 in Coatbridge, to 7·1 in Falkirk and 8·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (16·5), in Kilmarnock (16·4), in Glasgow (14·6), in Dundee (14·3), in Dunfermline (13·4), and in Clydebank (13·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 9·9 and in Aberdeen 10·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 61, and are 4 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 37 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 5 more, from measles 4 more, from whooping-cough 3 more, from typhoid fever 1 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from influenza are 3 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 98, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 233. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 15 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·6, being 2°·3 above that for the previous week, and 5°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2·28 inches.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 28, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | Rainfall in Inches. | Temperature. | | | No. | | | | | | | | |
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| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | | | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | Mean. | | | | | | | |
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| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 413 | 136 | 325 | 33 | 13 | 305 | 14·6 | 2·2 | 45 | 89 | 1 | 30 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 47 | 6 | 12 | 52·8 | 44·8 | 2·28 | 0·5 | 1. | 25 | 98 | 9 | 25 | 52·9 | 44·6 | 2·28 |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 127 | 66 | 100 | 20 | 3 | 83 | 9·9 | 0·2 | 4 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 3 | 52·0 | 44·4 | 1·16 | 13·4 | 2. | 20 | 105 | 13 | 20 | 49·0 | 42·3 | 0·97 |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 49 | 21 | 52 | 4 | 0 | 48 | 14·3 | 0·0 | 5 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 49·3 | 43·6 | 1·94 | ... | 3. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 57 | 27 | 40 | 6 | 0 | 34 | 10·6 | 0·6 | 4 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 50·0 | 45·9 | 1·96 | 18·1 | 4. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 39 | 13 | 20 | 4 | 0 | 16 | 9·7 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 52·9 | 45·3 | 2·68 | 3·9 | 5. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 27 | 11 | 20 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 11·2 | 0·0 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 52·0 | 44·7 | 3·54 | ... | 6. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 19 | 10 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 8·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 18 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 12 | 13·3 | 3·3 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 14 | 3 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 16·9 | 6·1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 8 | 5 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 13·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 16 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10·7 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 21 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 3 | 12 | 16·5 | 4·1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 10 | 2 | 13 | 3 | 2 | 12 | 16·4 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 9 | 5 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 18·4 | 0·0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 8 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 7·1 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 7 | 10 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 12·0 | 0·0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 51·0 | 43·4 | 2·41 | 8·4 | 16. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 842 | 323 | 663 | 85 | 29 | 607 | 12·9 | 1·3 | 71 | 233 | 1 | 37 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 98 | 9 | 25 | 52·9 | 44·6 | 2·28 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| | 2,453,319 | 867 | 247 | 673 | 83 | 17 | 602 | 12·8 | 1·2 | 74 | 218 | 0 | 33 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 105 | 13 | 20 | 49·0 | 42·3 | 0·97 | ... | | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |
| | 2,425,800 | 928 | 253 | 731 | 85 | 35 | 681 | 14·6 | 0·4 | 108 | 241 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 2 | - | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 | ... | | 26 | 137 | 5 | 26 | 49·3 | 39·6 | 0·95 |

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 48. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 5th December 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 787 living children, the deaths of 641 persons, and 352 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 599. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·2 less than in the previous week, and 3·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 1·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·8 in Kilmarnock and 15·0 in Perth, to 8·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 9·5 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Clydebank (14·4), in Falkirk (14·3), in Ayr (14·2), in Edinburgh (13·8), in Dunfermline (13·4), and in Glasgow (12·8). In Dundee the rate was 12·5 and in Aberdeen 10·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 47, and are 14 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 27 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 4 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from typhoid fever and from whooping-cough each number the same, while from other epidemic diseases they are 2 fewer, from scarlet fever 3 fewer, from diphtheria 4 fewer, and from measles 10 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 92, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 1·0 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 80, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 227. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 6 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°·9, being 0°·7 below that for the previous week, but 4°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·21 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 5, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | No. | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------|---------------------|---------------------------|------|----------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para- typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | | | | Maximum. | Minimum. |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 368 | 158 | 284 | 27 | 11 | 268 | 12·8 | 1·5 | 42 | 89 | 1 | 24 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 40 | 7 | 12 | 51·4 | 35·4 | 44·9 | 1·40 | 0·3 | 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 118 | 65 | 126 | 13 | 3 | 116 | 13·8 | 0·7 | 11 | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 23 | 2 | 4 | 50·0 | 34·0 | 43·7 | 0·82 | 10·9 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 56 | 21 | 44 | 2 | 0 | 42 | 12·5 | 0·6 | 7 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 49·7 | 30·7 | 42·3 | 0·55 | ... | 3. |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 53 | 35 | 38 | 4 | 1 | 35 | 10·9 | 0·3 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 50·0 | 33·0 | 44·3 | 0·26 | 10·3 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 27 | 9 | 20 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 10·3 | 0·0 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 51·4 | 33·8 | 44·1 | 1·97 | 1·2 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 26 | 8 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 12·5 | 0·0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 52·9 | 37·3 | 45·7 | 2·64 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 20 | 7 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 8·9 | 0·8 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 17 | 6 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 14·4 | 2·2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 19 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 10·9 | 0·0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 8 | 6 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 13·4 | 0·0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 9·5 | 0·0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 13 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 12·4 | 0·0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 15 | 5 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 17·8 | 1·4 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 10 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 14·2 | 1·4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 15 | 2 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 14·3 | 0·0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 14 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 15·0 | 1·5 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 51·0 | 28·0 | 42·6 | 0·84 | 5·6 | 16. |
| Total, Dec. 5, 1931, 16 Towns, Nov. 28, 1931, week ending, Dec. 6, 1930, | 2,453,319 | 787 | 352 | 641 | 69 | 27 | 599 | 12·7 | 1·0 | 80 | 227 | 1 | 27 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 92 | 10 | 22 | 51·4 | 28·0 | 43·9 | 1·21 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| | 2,453,319 | 842 | 323 | 663 | 85 | 29 | 607 | 12·9 | 1·3 | 71 | 233 | 1 | 37 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 98 | 9 | 25 | 52·9 | 30·0 | 44·6 | 2·28 | ... | |
| | 2,425,800 | 905 | 383 | 760 | 77 | 34 | 717 | 15·4 | 0·5 | 107 | 265 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 7 | 2 | - | 171 | 8 | 39 | 48·2 | 21·0 | 39·1 | 0·21 | ... | |

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

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IN THE

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No. 49. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 12th December 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 829 living children, the deaths of 728 persons, and 301 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 676. The equivalent annual birth rate is 17·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 1·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 1·7 more than in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·2 in Clydebank and 17·1 in Falkirk, to 7·5 in Perth and 9·0 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (15·5), in Hamilton (15·2), in Dundee (15·1), in Glasgow (14·7), and in Greenock (14·5). In Edinburgh the rate was 14·4 and in Aberdeen 14·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 53, and are 6 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 33 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 7 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 6 more, from other epidemic diseases 3 more, and from influenza 2 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever number the same, while from scarlet fever they number 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 97, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 1·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 90, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 253. The former are 10 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 26 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 45°·0, being 1°·1 above that for the previous week, and 8°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·29 inch.

NOTE. — The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | Total 16 Towns. | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------|------|--------------|----------|-------|---------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | Temperature. | | | | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | No. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Maximum. | Minimum. | Mean. | Rainfall in Inches. | | |
| (1) 1. GLASGOW, | (2) 1,088,417 | (3) 377 | (4) 128 | 326 | 28 | 9 | 307 | 14.7 | 1.9 | 54 | 94 | 0 | 29 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 45 | 8 | 11 | 52.7 | 38.1 | 46.2 | 0.32 | 1.0 | (29) 1. |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 114 | 77 | 137 | 19 | 3 | 121 | 14.4 | 0.4 | 13 | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 0 | 2 | 52.0 | 37.0 | 44.9 | 0.03 | 6.7 | 2. |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 61 | 13 | 56 | 6 | 1 | 51 | 15.1 | 0.3 | 8 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 53.3 | 36.4 | 43.4 | 0.04 | ... | 3 |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 58 | 25 | 54 | 9 | 0 | 45 | 14.0 | 0.0 | 3 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 54.0 | 35.0 | 43.2 | 0.30 | 17.1 | 4. |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 33 | 5 | 25 | 2 | 0 | 23 | 13.9 | 0.6 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 52.7 | 38.2 | 46.2 | 0.41 | 2.2 | 5. |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 24 | 5 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 22 | 14.5 | 1.3 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 53.0 | 38.0 | 46.2 | 0.89 | ... | 6. |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 35 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 10.5 | 1.6 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 15 | 3 | 19 | 1 | 2 | 20 | 22.2 | 2.2 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 17 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 | 13.3 | 2.4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 6 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 16 | 9 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 15.5 | 1.2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 19 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 14 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 9.6 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 19 | 9 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 12.8 | 0.0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 12 | 4 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 17.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 7.5 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 55.0 | 37.0 | 44.9 | 0.07 | 13.8 | 16. |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 829 | 301 | 728 | 78 | 26 | 676 | 14.4 | 1.1 | 90 | 253 | 0 | 33 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 4 | 97 | 10 | 27 | 55.0 | 35.0 | 45.0 | 0.29 | ... | Total 16 Towns. |
| { Dec. 12, 1931, Dec. 5, 1931, Dec. 13, 1930, | 2,453,319 | 787 | 352 | 641 | 69 | 27 | 599 | 12.7 | 1.0 | 80 | 227 | 1 | 27 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 92 | 10 | 22 | 51.4 | 28.0 | 43.9 | 1.21 | ... | |
| | 2,425,800 | 947 | 297 | 755 | 79 | 35 | 711 | 15.3 | 0.8 | 117 | 246 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 6 | 1 | - | 193 | 8 | 29 | 50.3 | 17.0 | 36.7 | 1.30 | ... | |

Note.—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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During the week ending 19th December 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 906 living children, the deaths of 715 persons, and 262 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 666. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·7 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 25·0 in Kirkcaldy and 19·3 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 8·5 in Coatbridge and 10·9 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (16·9), in Dundee (16·3), in Glasgow (14·3), and in Falkirk (14·3). In Edinburgh the rate was 12·7 and in Aberdeen 14·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 49, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 21 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 6 from influenza, 6 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas, 2 to dysentery and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from cerebro-spinal fever are 4 more, from diphtheria 2 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more and from whooping-cough 1 more, but those from scarlet fever numbered the same, while from influenza they are 1 fewer and from measles 12 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 102, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 1·0 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 101, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 250. The former are 11 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 3 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·6, being 3°·4 above that for the previous week, and 0°·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·14 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | No. | | |
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| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. | (29) |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 448 | 113 | 333 | 41 | 6 | 298 | 14.3 | 1.7 | 48 | 103 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 48 | 5 | 14 | 50.7 | 36.9 | 42.8 | 0.14 | 0.2 | 1. | ... |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 125 | 49 | 117 | 12 | 2 | 107 | 12.7 | 0.5 | 20 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 20 | 0 | 3 | 50.0 | 34.0 | 41.9 | 0.18 | 1.9 | 2. | ... |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 70 | 16 | 55 | 2 | 2 | 55 | 16.3 | 0.9 | 11 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 51.0 | 30.6 | 40.2 | 0.09 | ... | 3. | ... |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 69 | 30 | 54 | 13 | 4 | 45 | 14.0 | 0.3 | 5 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 55.0 | 25.0 | 40.0 | 0.09 | 8.5 | 4. | ... |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 32 | 8 | 26 | 1 | 3 | 28 | 16.9 | 1.2 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 50.7 | 37.0 | 43.2 | 0.12 | 0.0 | 5. | ... |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 21 | 9 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 11.9 | 0.7 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50.3 | 36.1 | 43.3 | 0.30 | ... | 6. | ... |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 22 | 4 | 18 | 0 | 6 | 24 | 19.3 | 0.8 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7. | ... |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 18 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 11.1 | 0.0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8. | ... |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 15 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 8.5 | 1.2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9. | ... |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 8 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10. | ... |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 14 | 3 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 21 | 25.0 | 1.2 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11. | ... |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 21 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 12.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12. | ... |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 11 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 10.9 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 13. | ... |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 13 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 14.2 | 0.0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14. | ... |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 12 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 14.3 | 0.0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15. | ... |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 7 | 7 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 53.0 | 32.0 | 40.1 | 0.09 | 1.2 | 16. | ... |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 906 | 262 | 715 | 80 | 31 | 666 | 14.2 | 1.0 | 101 | 250 | 0 | 21 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 102 | 9 | 27 | 55.0 | 25.0 | 41.6 | 0.14 | ... | Total 16 Towns. | |
| | 2,453,319 | 829 | 301 | 728 | 78 | 26 | 676 | 14.4 | 1.1 | 90 | 253 | 0 | 33 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 4 | 97 | 10 | 27 | 55.0 | 35.0 | 45.0 | 0.29 | ... | | |
| | 2,425,800 | 903 | 270 | 863 | 89 | 45 | 819 | 17.6 | 0.6 | 140 | 301 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 9 | 13 | 4 | - | 218 | 6 | 28 | 56.0 | 29.0 | 42.2 | 0.40 | ... | | |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 51. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1931. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 26th December 1931 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 794 living children, the deaths of 698 persons, and 430 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 645. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·4 less than in the previous week, and 2·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·5 more than in the previous week, and 2·7 above the average. The death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 1·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·5 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 18·0 in Perth, to 4·1 in Kilmarnock and 7·5 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (16·0), in Kirkcaldy (15·5), in Aberdeen (15·0), in Paisley (14·5) and in Glasgow (14·0). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 60, and are 11 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 37 from measles, of which 33 occurred in Glasgow, none from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, 6 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and none from other epidemic diseases. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 16 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from influenza numbered the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 101, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 1·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 96, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 213. The former are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 37 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 15, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·9, being 3°·3 above that for the previous week, and 3°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·65 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 26, 1931.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | No. | | | | | | |
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| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Principal Epidemic Diseases. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | Total 16 Towns. |
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Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 52. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1932. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 2nd January 1932 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an aggregate population of 2,453,319, the births of 856 living children, the deaths of 728 persons, and 1014 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 684. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 21·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 12·5 more than in the previous week, and 6·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 1·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·5 in Hamilton and in Perth, and 16·0 in Glasgow, to 7·1 in Ayr and in Falkirk, and 9·2 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (15·7), in Clydebank (15·5), in Paisley (15·1), and in Dundee (14·9). In Edinburgh the rate was 13·8, and in Aberdeen 11·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 68, and are 8 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 46 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 9 more, from scarlet fever 4 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, from influenza 2 fewer, and from diphtheria 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 103, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 1·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 97, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 267. The former are 1 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 54 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 16, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·0, being 4°·6 below that for the previous week, but 3°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·84 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 2, 1932.

| TOWNS. | Population Census 1931. | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. | | | | Death-Rate per 1000 living. | | Deaths of | | Deaths from | | | | | | | | | | Temperature. | | | Rainfall in Inches. | Hours of Bright Sunshine. | No. | | |
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| | | | | Number Registered. | Transferred Out. | Transferred In. | Net Number. | From All Causes. | From Principal Epidemic Diseases. | Infants under One Year of Age. | Persons aged 65 Years and upwards. | Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Whooping-cough. | Diphtheria. | Influenza. | Cerebro-spinal Fever. | *Other Epidemic Diseases. | All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular). | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age). | Violence | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | Mean. | |
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| 1. GLASGOW, | 1,088,417 | 380 | 457 | 361 | 33 | 7 | 335 | 16.0 | 2.5 | 56 | 106 | 0 | 38 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 46 | 7 | 9 | 54.3 | 28.3 | 40.8 | 2.57 | 10.1 | 1. | 16 |
| 2. EDINBURGH, | 438,998 | 130 | 177 | 133 | 23 | 6 | 116 | 13.8 | 0.2 | 12 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 53.0 | 27.0 | 39.9 | 0.70 | 8.5 | 2. | 15 |
| 3. DUNDEE, | 175,583 | 45 | 71 | 53 | 5 | 2 | 50 | 14.9 | 0.0 | 3 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 3 | 52.4 | 27.9 | 38.3 | 0.48 | .. | 3. | 37 |
| 4. ABERDEEN, | 167,259 | 62 | 61 | 41 | 3 | 0 | 38 | 11.8 | 0.3 | 4 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 54.0 | 27.0 | 38.0 | 1.21 | 9.1 | 4. | 15 |
| 5. PAISLEY, | 86,441 | 25 | 42 | 28 | 3 | 0 | 25 | 15.1 | 3.6 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 52.3 | 27.4 | 41.1 | 3.06 | 9.0 | 5. | 16 |
| 6. GREENOCK, | 78,948 | 38 | 13 | 12 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 9.2 | 0.0 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 54.0 | 28.9 | 41.2 | 4.32 | .. | 6. | 37 |
| 7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, | 64,708 | 28 | 40 | 14 | 0 | 4 | 18 | 14.5 | 0.8 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7. | 48.0 |
| 8. CLYDEBANK, | 46,963 | 21 | 16 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 14 | 15.5 | 0.0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8. | 19.0 |
| 9. COATBRIDGE, | 43,056 | 20 | 17 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 15.7 | 3.6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9. | 36.2 |
| 10. DUNFERMLINE, | 34,954 | 15 | 18 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 13.4 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10. | 31.0 |
| 11. KIRKCALDY, | 43,874 | 11 | 13 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 11.9 | 2.4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11. | 44.6 |
| 12. HAMILTON, | 37,863 | 20 | 23 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 16.5 | 0.0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12. | 36.2 |
| 13. KILMARNOCK, | 38,099 | 17 | 25 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13. | 44.6 |
| 14. AYR, | 36,784 | 11 | 14 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 7.1 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14. | 48.0 |
| 15. FALKIRK, | 36,565 | 17 | 12 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7.1 | 1.4 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 59.0 | 27.0 | 40.6 | 0.57 | 5.3 | 15. | 36.2 |
| 16. PERTH, | 34,807 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 16.5 | 0.0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16. | 36.2 |
| Total, 16 Towns, week ending, | 2,453,319 | 856 | 1014 | 728 | 80 | 36 | 684 | 14.5 | 1.4 | 97 | 267 | 0 | 46 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 103 | 8 | 16 | 59.0 | 27.0 | 40.0 | 1.84 | .. | Total 16 Towns. | |
| Jan. 2, 1932, | 2,453,319 | 794 | 430 | 698 | 83 | 30 | 645 | 13.7 | 1.3 | 96 | 213 | 0 | 37 | 0 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 101 | 13 | 15 | 61.0 | 31.0 | 44.6 | 0.57 | .. | .. | .. |
| Dec. 26, 1931, Jan. 3, 1931, | 2,425,800 | 904 | 1310 | 783 | 77 | 41 | 747 | 16.1 | 0.5 | 139 | 280 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 1 | - | 166 | 6 | 37 | 48.0 | 19.0 | 36.2 | 0.60 | .. | .. | .. |

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from